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Irvine Council explores idea of annexation

By LISA BICKNELL
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During Monday night's meeting, the Irvine City Council began to publicly explore the idea of annexing more property into the city of Irvine.

Mayor Noland said he received six calls on Monday and a couple last week from people in North Irvine wanting their property to be annexed into the city.

Councilwoman Janice Bush said, "This[annexation] is something you just don't do overnight."

Councilman Tobo Bryant agreed, saying, "We have to go slow and easy, and see what it costs to offer [increased city services].

Councilwoman Nelle Williams said if the city wants to annex, "We have to sell it [the idea]."

Other considerations concerning annexation which the council discussed include taxing, how to offer city services to a larger area, water rates in newly-annexed areas, the addition of more city lights, and the effect on insurance premiums.

The mayor said the city is tentatively looking at extending its boundaries to Sand Hill Road, as well as to the high school on Hwy. 89.

Fire Chief Tony Murphy said they would also have to look into how annexation might affect the city's class size. Irvine is currently a Class 3 city.

Councilman Billy Arthur said, "It won't be an overnight thing, but I'd like to see it happen."

Robert Sanders, building inspector apprentice to the city, said he has been discussing annexation with the mayor for a while. He called it "the right idea" and said Irvine has a lot of unique characteristics and is an ideal town to develop.

"If you build it, they will come," he said. He also noted that businesses such as Target never build outside city limits because of a lack of services such as 24-hour fire department protection.

In his regular report, Estill Development Alliance director Joe Crawford stated at Monday night's meeting of the Irvine City Council that there is "a lot going on" in Irvine right now.

He noted that the River City Players have acquired 20 percent of funds needed to purchase the Mack Theater downtown, and that the RCP is hosting a theater camp this week.

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Racists, rebels,or salesmen?



Traveling street team turns heads



Photos by Lisa Bicknell

Ruth Horn, center, from Barnes Mountain, purchased two music CDs from the men above who claimed to be part of Mikel Knight's Maverick Dirt Road Street Team that stopped in Irvine for a short time last Friday.

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A black van, plastered in graphics and flying a Confederate flag, drew a lot of attention in Irvine on Friday.

Parked beside the road in front of the BP station on Richmond Rd., three men claiming to be part of Mikel Knight's Maverick Dirt Road Street Team were in Estill County selling music CDs from the van.

They beckoned traffic to stop while waving handfuls of CDs in the air.

They said one of the CDs featured their employer, Mikel Knight, also a country-rap singer.

According to an article in fourwheeler.com, Knight started his own country/rap record label and claims to have the world's largest street promotions team.

The men in the van were apparently part of it. However, they didn't get to hang around long, despite doing some brisk business.

One of them said the sheriff had stopped by and told them to take the flag down. A little later they were informed the owner of the gas station had called and asked them to leave also.

The men claimed they always get permission to sell their CDs beforehand

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Man arrested after climbing fences, crossing yards

An Estill County man was arrested on July 9 after the Irvine Police Department responded to a call that he was extremely intoxicated, climbing over fences and crossing yards.

Timothy L. Bishop, 22, of 216 Noland Court, was arrested near the US Bank when Officer Aaron Curtis made contact with him there.

The police report said Bishop was visibly drunk and unsteady on his feet. It also said he had an open pint of whiskey in his cargo short's pocket.

When Officer Curtis

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EKU's Mooers joins East Kentucky Workforce Innovation Board



RICHMOND, Ky. – Ian Mooers, director of the Center for Economic Development, Entrepreneurship and Technology (CEDET) at Eastern Kentucky University, has been appointed to the East Kentucky Workforce Innovation Board (EKWIB).

"These are critical and transformational times for the region, and workforce development is incredibly important to economic diversification and the success of initiatives like Shaping Our Appalachian Region (SOAR), the East Kentucky Promise Zone, and many other community-based efforts," said Jeff Whitehead, executive director of the Eastern Kentucky Concentrated Employment Program Inc. (EKCEP). "Mr. Mooers' experience in economic development, entrepreneurial growth

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Homeowners to move this month

by **Kaleigh Underwood**
CV&T Intern

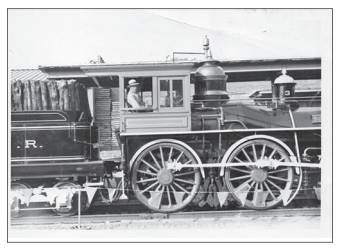
The City of Ravenna Council met on July 13, 2015 at the Ravenna City Hall. The meeting was called to order at 6:00 p.m., and was opened with a prayer by Beverly Thompson, the Pledge of Allegiance and roll call.

Bryan Kirby, from CEDA, was first on the agenda. He said the first homes to be built or remodeled in the second phase of the Ravenna Scattered-site Homeowner Rehabilitation Project, should be ready to move into before the month is over. He also presented the council with progress updates on the CDBG grant. A motion was made and seconded to accept resolution number eight.

Next, the minutes from the previous meeting were read and approved. Then the financial report was read and approved. There was no police or fire reports

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Students participating in the camp will perform a play based on local stories written by Irvine native Donna Crow. The play will begin at 5 p.m. on Friday afternoon at the fairgrounds. It is titled *Nothing to Do in This Town*.

Crawford also reported on the "excellent progress" made at the Estill Action Group's meeting last week, when the five trail town committees met to discuss the next steps toward achieving trail town status.

The EAG is working with local writer Rebecca Patrick-Howard to organize a downtown ghost walk through Irvine in October. Howard will lead the walk and narrate spooky stories of days gone by in the city.

On July 25, the EAG is hosting a fundraiser volleyball tournament beside the river at the American Legion with the goal to purchase updated Christmas décor for Irvine and Ravenna.

Also on the 25th of July, "Hollerwood," the developing four-county outdoor recreation park, is hosting a "Hollerwood Park Founding Sponsorship Ride." The main loop of the trail, parts of it in the Red River Gorge and Estill County, is marked now, and those who participate in the ride will get to explore it first. Sixty-five of 100 slots have already been filled.

Crawford said he is working with the National Park Service to get the trail better connected to downtown Irvine. He hopes there will be a trailhead open sometime in the next few months.

The Chamber of Commerce will host a ribbon-cutting ceremony for Once Borrowed, the new "eclectic décor" shop soon to open beside the Twin on River Drive, on July 25.

Crawford said there are other "excited people wanting to open businesses in town."

He reminded that this year's Revive River Drive will be on September 5, from 5 to 10 p.m. He also said the chamber is working with the local police departments to make the event as safe as possible.

The Leadership LEAP program is planning a Small Business Saturday promotion for later in the year.

Also, Crawford announced, the Lily Mountain Nature Preserve has acquired two additional properties. The preserve is again working to host a Zombie Hike in the fall. Last year's event was "snowed out."

Other events planned by the EDA include an Estill Palooza featureing a trivia contest on September 12, a dodgeball tournament on October 17, and a talent contest on November 14.

In old business, Mayor W.J. Noland once again nominated Regina Robertson as an Irvine Municipal Utilities Commissioner. The council voted to approve her nomination.

City Clerk Robin Powell said Dancing Days, LLC. has filed for a privilege license to open the Steam Engine Pizza Pub on Main Street.

A motion was made to authorize the mayor to sign on all funds for the city of Irvine.

Concerning an on-going effort to clean up the city of Irvine, Police Chief Brad Smith reported that a truckload of debris has been hauled away from 314 Turner Avenue. He said his department has issued some citations on Cantrill Street as well and has notified the health department about some neglected properties.

The Irvine City Council will meet again on Monday, July 27, at 7 p.m. at the Irvine City Hall.

TEAM

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and that the attendant at the station had given his.

Ruth Horn, of Barnes Mt., stopped by to enquire if the three men were selling Confederate flags. When they told her they were not, she bought two CDs and proudly posed with the flag the men pulled back out of their van for a photo op.

"It's about heritage, not hate," she said. "There are a lot of men laying in the ground because they fought for that flag."

One member of the MDRST said his name is Alex Beverly. He claimed to be an Army brat and a veteran who currently lives in Clarksville, Tennessee.

Dakota Savage, from Hannibal, Missouri (home of Mark Twain, he pointed out), is also a member of the team and said he's an aspiring country singer himself.

Savage said the team has 22 vans and five tour buses that sell all over "this area."

"People love us here," he said.

Apparently not everyone is so fond of them.

Savage himself said there is a Facebook page dubbed Public Awareness Against Mikel Knight that accuses them of kidnapping children and other criminal acts. He said he's been run out of Alabama and Nebraska and tackled by a cop.

He refutes the claims and says that a portion of the sales of their albums goes to help Safe Haven, a non-profit in Tennessee that shelters victims of domestic abuse, and A Cut Above the Rest, another non-profit that trains people in the use of heavy equipment and helps them find jobs.

Beverly claimed that they always get permission to park their vans, and they carry a Class 3 trans-vendor permit, just "like a taco truck."

He also said Discovery is planning to film a documentary of the work the team does.

The men claim to have helped sell as many as $5000 worth of CDs on some days, "twice as much as Jason Aldean,"and they say they've been featured in Billboard Magazine for setting a record for mobile sales totaling 1.2 million CDs "hand to hand."

However, an article on a website called savingcountrymusic.com, said several members of the street team have been arrested for not having the proper permits.

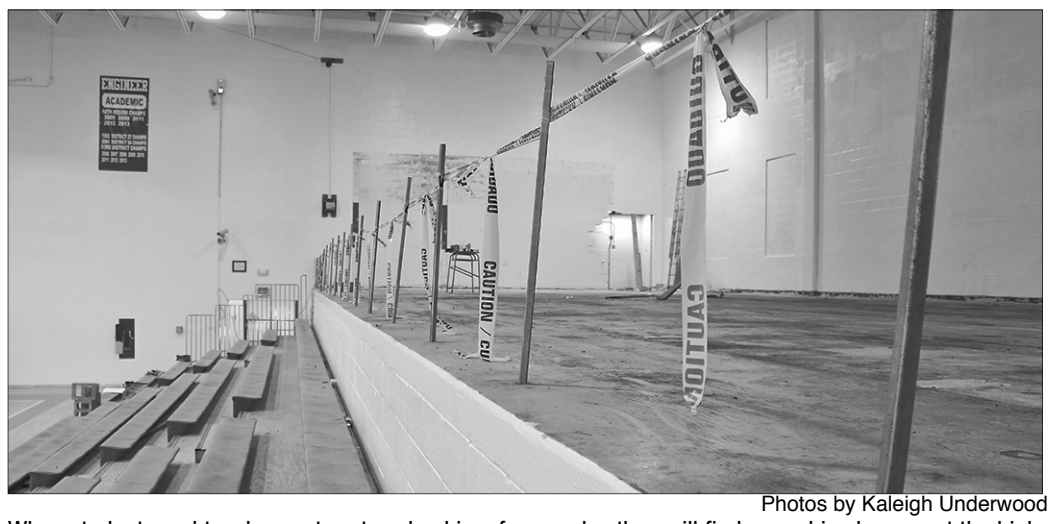
Other criticisms of the MDRST range from "nothing on the CDs" to "they don't really support the charities they claim to."

As for the controversy surrounding them, the guys recently in Irvine didn't appear too concerned. The rebel flag and the flashy graphics on their traveling CD store is all part of their marketing plan.

"Publicity is publicity," said Dakota Savage.

Bleacher re-do underway





Photos by Kaleigh Underwood

When students and teachers return to school in a few weeks, they will find some big changes at the high school. New bleachers are being installed, as well as curtains to divide the mezzanine for practices, etc.

ARREST

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arrested him, Bishop allegedly cursed the officer and became "extremely combative." He resisted being escorted into the jail also. Curtis then attempted to taser Bishop, but he got away on foot. Curtis followed on foot, and caught up with Bishop after a short chase.

Bishop then surrendered and was taken back into custody. The police report also said Bishop continued to be extremely combative toward Curtis and had to be restrained again once inside the jail.

Bishop was charged with alcohol intoxication in a public place, first and second offense; menacing; assault, third degree, of an officer; resisting arrest; escape, third degree and fleeing or evading police, first degree (on foot).

Bishop pleaded not guilty on all charges on July 10. He was released on a $10,000 cash bond and is scheduled for a preliminary hearing on July 15.

MOVE

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so business proceeded onto the second reading of the 2015-2016 budget.

In this budget for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2015 and ending June 30, 2016, there is a fund balance carried forward of $9,599.07. There is an estimated revenue from property taxes of $80,000; licenses and permits of $117,6000; intergovernmental revenues of $33,3000; charges for services of $46,000; and an other category for estimated revenues of $2, 850.

The total resources available for appropriation is $289,349. These are broken down into seven separate categories with funds awarded to each group: general government with $158,750; police with $62,300; fire with $6,546; grants with $0; public works and sanitation with $60,000; parks and recreation with $200; and capital expenditures with $1,553.

The excess of resources over/under appropriations is estimated to be at $0 and the estimated fund balances at the end of fiscal year is estimated to be $0.

A motion was made and seconded that the meeting be adjourned at 6:20 p.m.

The next meeting will be on August 10, at 6 p.m. at Ravenna City Hall.

MOOERS

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strategies, planning and leadership will bring great value and expertise to the Board. Perhaps more important is his proven ability to link resources to the needs of businesses and industry."

Mooers, a resident of Irvine, joined the EKU staff in 2009. He had previously served as director of entrepreneurial programs at George Mason University in Virginia.

"Eastern Kentucky is embracing its own future by adapting and facing the challenges all rural communities are dealing with in terms of population decrease, lagging unemployment rates, and the loss of a major industry," Mooers said. "The Eastern Kentucky Concentrated Employment Program (www.ekcep.org) and the East Kentucky Workforce Innovation Board are important players in that future, and constantly seek out innovative solutions to the most pressing needs of the employers and communities in their 23-county service area to create jobs and opportunities for its citizens. In my role as a member of the EKWIB, and as director of CEDET at EKU, I will be looking at how the resources at EKU along with our many partners in the region can help the EKWIB discover new workforce solutions to meet employer needs in the region. I am very honored to be selected to serve on the EKWIB for EKCEP, and I look forward to working with the board."

The 24-member Board, established in response to the Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act, will provide strategic planning, oversight and leadership to workforce development funds in the Eastern Kentucky CEP's 23-county region. The Board will hold its first meeting in Hazard on Sept. 17.

CEDET, housed in EKU's Business and Technology Center, provides assistance to businesses, organizations, industries and communities to aid in their development. It includes offices of the Small Business Development Center and the Kentucky Innovation Network, as well as a business accelerator, an export training program and Coal Country Beeworks. For more information, visit cedet.eku.edu.



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Police Beats

Sheriff's Department

7-7 Josh Peiffer, 24, of 2305 Wisemantown Rd., Apt. #6, was served a warrant of arrest by Russell "Doc" Morris.

7-8 Fred H. Rogers, 36, of 1090 Sweet Lick Rd., was charged with receiving stolen property, under $10,000, after Deputy Russell Morris was dispatched to 491 John Rawlins Rd. about the theft of a 46-inch Husqvarna riding mower. Rogers had allegedly sold the mower for $150, and Deputy Morris later located the mower at 875 Dry Branch Rd. Rogers pleaded not guilty during his arraignment, and a pre-trial hearing was scheduled for July 15, 2015. He was released on a $5,000 cash bond.

7-8 Heather N. Edmonson, 18, of 101 Shirdell Dr., Richmond, was charged with theft by unlawful taking or disposition for shoplifting after Deputy Daniel Smith was dispatched to 917 Richmond Rd. about a shoplifting complaint at the Dollar Store. He found Edmonson to have $21.89 of unpaid merchandise in her purse.

7-8 Carrie Estes, 33, of 2255 Dry Branch Rd., was arrested after a sheriff's deputy was dispatched to Reges Rd., to respond to a call that a woman was passed out in a vehicle with a child in the back. When police arrived, they found the car in the middle of the road with the lights off. They also found Estes difficult to awaken, the report said. Deputy Russell Morris performed a field sobriety test, which Estes failed. She was transported to the Marcum and Wallace Memorial Hospital for a blood draw which she allegedly refused. Estes was then transferred to the county jail. The police report also stated that the three-year old child was not secured in a booster seat, nor was there one in the vehicle.

7-9 Jeremiah Johnson, 27, of 136 Cantrill Street, was arrested for a violation of a bond release and failure to appear in court.

7-9 Johnathon F. Harrison, 29, of 277 Broadway, was served a warrant from the Madison County Sheriff's office, as well as two additional warrants. Russell "Doc" Morris made the arrests.

7-9 Justin Gerber, 38, was served a warrant at the jail from the Madison County Sheriff.

7-10 Meagan Hoffman, 27, of 1225 Dug Hill Rd., was arrested after Deputy Randy Farthing was dispatched to Stop n' Shop parking lot in response to a call that a female was passed out behind the wheel of a truck. When Farthing arrived, he saw Hoffman behind the wheel of a parked truck, the report said. He found her to smell strongly of alcohol. She allegedly admitted to drinking and stated that she had been driving.

7-10 Theresa Bishop, 36, of 146 Walters Lane, Waco, was arrested at Shell Mart after Deputy Randy Farthing received a call that Bishop was lying on the counter. The police report stated that Farthing escorted Bishop to the parking lot and administered field sobriety tests which she failed. It also said Bishop admitted to taking suboxone or Clonozepam. She was charged with public intoxication with a controlled substance.

Money tips for college students

College students should take advantage of their meal plan

Many colleges require students to have a meal plan, especially if they live on campus. Meal plans vary among colleges, but most will give students a certain number of dining hall meals per week. Students may also be able to add flex dollars to use at the campus food court or other locations. The larger the school is, the greater flexibility students may have.

Students who choose their meal plan carefully may be able to cut college costs by selecting the plan that is best for them, according to the Kentucky Higher Education Assistance Authority (KHEAA).

Most often, the meal plan will come out of students' financial aid or their parents' money if they're footing the bill. Funds will be loaded on a card students swipe at on-campus cafeterias and restaurants.

Students can waste a lot of money eating off-campus and even rack up credit card debt by charging food. Most meals on campus are already paid for through the meal plan, so students should eat on campus as much as possible.

KHEAA is the state agency that administers Kentucky's grant and scholarship programs, including the Kentucky Educational Excellence Scholarship (KEES). It provides financial literacy videos at http://itsmoney.kheaa.com. KHEAA also provides free copies of "It's Money, Baby," a guide to financial literacy, to Kentucky schools and residents upon request at publications@kheaa.com.

To learn how to plan and prepare for higher education, go to www.gotocollege.ky.gov. For more information about Kentucky scholarships and grants, visit www.kheaa.com; write KHEAA, P.O. Box 798, Frankfort, KY 40602; or call 800-928-8926, ext. 6-7214.

Mercy Primary Care welcomes Dr. Tonya Justice

Marcum & Wallace Memorial Hospital (MWMH) is pleased to welcome Tonya Justice, D.O. to Mercy Primary Care in Irvine. She joins the existing team of providers including: Dr. Maher Kassis, Dr. Jenni Skorupa, Dr. Tamera Spangler and Nurse Practitioners Billie Kelley and Pam Isaacs. All will see patients at the primary care clinic on Richmond Road.

Dr. Justice earned her medical degree from University of Pikeville - Kentucky College of Osteopathic Medicine and completed undergrad education at the University of Pikeville. She completed her residency at the University of Kentucky.

"I am looking forward to joining the Marcum and Wallace Team. This seems like a place that truly cares about the patients and that's one of the things that I love most about my career," said Dr. Justice. "I want to help people feel better by treating temporary illnesses and also teach them about a healthy lifestyle and the importance of recognizing a health issue before it becomes a serious problem."

As a part of MWMH and Mercy Health, Dr. Justice will have access to electronic medical records. This benefits patients by allowing by her to obtain information such as test results and health history; which enables care to be coordinated more efficiently and effectively. Patients of MWMH can sign up for MyChart, which allows them to view their test results, schedule appointments, check their medical record, and more…all from the convenience of a computer or smart phone.

MWMW President & CEO Susan Starling states, "We are growing our network of primary care providers in the community because a relationship with your primary care provider can be one of the most important things you can do for a healthy lifestyle. With the recent addition of Dr. Spangler and Dr. Justice, there are more openings for patients who need to schedule an appointment."

KSP warns of telephone scam

Richmond, Ky. – The Kentucky State Police, Richmond Post has been notified that scammers are using the KSP Post 7 telephone number in an attempt to scam some central Kentucky residents.

The attempted scam begins when a caller replaces their number with the KSP Post 7 telephone number, 859-623-2404, and calls the unsuspecting person. The caller then tells them that the Kentucky State Police has a warrant for their arrest because they owe the IRS money. The caller then demands an immediate payment over the phone to avoid being arrested. Fortunately, there have not been any reports of scammers collecting any funds, but KSP has received multiple calls from people that were targeted by the scam artists.

The Kentucky State Police would like to remind people that we do not call and collect funds, or threaten arrest for unpaid taxes.

To help as a guide, below are the "Top 10 Tip-offs to a Rip-off".

1.) High pressure sales or frequent calls are signs that it's a scam.

2.) If the caller demands an immediate decision, it's likely a rip-off.

3.) People requesting a credit or debit card or any banking account information.

4.) If the caller offers to send someone to your home or to overnight something.

5.) Something for free is usually a reason to be suspicious.

6.) Unresponsive to questions or too quick to answer by cutting you off.

7.) An investment without a risk.

8.) Will not provide written information or references.

9.) Not registered with the Attorney General's Office.

10.) If it sounds too good to be true, it often is.

Should anyone receive these calls or has questions or concerns, they are encouraged to contact the Kentucky Office of the Attorney General at 502-696-5300, the Kentucky State Police, or their local police department.

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VIEWPOINTS

Officials to hold public meetings about fracking



By LISA BICKNELL
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Three public meetings are being held to gather input from citizens around the state as state officials continue working to update regulations for the oil and gas industry, in particular the "unconventional" methods of deep-well hydraulic fracturing.

The first permit in Kentucky to allow for the controversial and relatively new practice of "fracking" was issued for a site in Johnson County in April.

A public hearing was held before that permit was issued, but some complained they were quickly shut down when they tried to voice their concerns.

Perhaps state officials are feeling public pressure to rectify that situation with the three hearings.

The first one was on July 7 in Madisonville, in western Kentucky. According to a news report on WFIE's website, most of those who attended that meeting expressed views against fracking.

Two more meetings are upcoming. One will be one on July 23 in the auditorium at the Center for Rural Development, located at 2292 South Highway 27, in Somerset. A third meeting will be on July 30 at the Hazard Community and Technical College. It will be in room 208 of the Jolly Center, located in the JCC building.

Both meetings begin at 6 p.m. and will last until 8 p.m., with doors opening at 5:30 p.m.

The meetings are not debates, according to Kentucky Energy and Environment Cabinet Secretary Len Peters in an article in The Lane Report published on June 23, 2015.

They are described as listening sessions and participants are allowed to make brief spoken comments. Citizens are also permitted to submit written comments.

Remarks will be videotaped and used in a report that will be made available to the state government oil and gas workgroup. That workgroup is said to include industry representatives, regulators and environmental interests.

The report will be made available to the Governor's office and to the Kentucky General Assembly. I hope they pay close attention to citizens' concerns.

Those unable to attend the meetings in person may submit written comments to OilandGasComments@ky.gov between July 7 and July 31.

If I don't get to attend, I do plan to send a written statement.

I will share that the more I read about hydraulic fracturing, the more concerned I become about it happening here.

Concern is growing all across the nation. In March, the state of Maryland extended its current moratorium on fracking for three more years, calling it an "ultrahazardous activity."

One delegate who supported the moratorium said, "We've got to get this right, because if we get this wrong, it is unfixable," an Appalachian Voices website reported.

New York and New Jersey have already completely banned the practice, while citizens in other states are also calling for temporary bans (moratoriums).

I think a moratorium (at least) would be the prudent thing to do in Kentucky. We should learn from the mistakes of other states who are "working out the kinks" of the relatively new process before we throw caution to the winds and do irreparable damage to our own water supplies.

Speaking of which, in early June, the EPA released the findings of a study, 1000 pages long, about the impact of fracking on drinking water. An article in EcoWatch said the study, commissioned by Congress in 2010, found that fracking does pollute ground water sources.

While some have accused the EPA of "overreach" when it comes to regulating coal, the EPA has been oddly silent about the effects of fracking.

I'm sure the prospect of energy independence sounds pretty seductive to our leaders, and understandably so.

But at what cost? Using up huge quantities of fresh water, as California is doing? (Fracking drill sites typically require three to six million gallons of water—each.) Making people sick with cancer and respiratory disease? Causing birth defects?

Numerous geological reports from Oklahoma leave little doubt that there is a direct correlation between the increase in fracking and earthquake activity, which should be a real concern here in Kentucky with our porous karst topography, dotted with sinkholes, caves and springs.

Pipeline explosions are becoming increasingly common across the country, another direct consequence of fracking.

Rolling Stone magazine recently featured an article written by Paul Solotaroff entitled, "What's Killing the Babies of Vernal, Utah."

The writer interviewed a fifty-something year-old grandmother, Donna Young, a midwife in the fracking boomtown of Vernal.

Young had a remarkably successful midwifery practice until recent years when she noticed an alarming number of expectant mothers getting sick and birthing stillborn babies or babies with birth defects.

The town of Vernal is located in a "basin" surrounded by mountains, the writer says, and the air inverts, or settles, in the basin under certain weather conditions, much like it does in our own valleys.

Unfortunately, the air in Vernal is laden with the toxic by-products of fracking, such as methane gas.

When Young began voicing opinions that the polluted air was causing stillbirths, she became a target. She now sleeps with a pistol by her side, because she claims her life has been threatened.

To me, these are but a few of the reasons Kentucky should at least say "wait" before it issues any more fracking permits.

Those fossil fuels aren't going anywhere. They've been there for milleniums.

Besides, there are cleaner ways of producing energy. There are homes right here in Estill County completely powered by solar, and the process isn't making anyone sick.

If you have concerns about fracking, send your comments to OilandGasComments@ky.gov between now and July 31 or attend one of the upcoming public meetings in Somerset or Hazard.

They work for you. Call them any time.

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Pledge of Allegiance: Against the rules?

By: Karl Rifenbark
Irvine Police Department

It was brought to our attention, recently that the Estill County Middle School and High School students do not say the Pledge of Allegiance.

On Monday May 25, 2015 (Memorial Day), one of our children was allowed to stand up in class and recite the pledge while another, in a different class, was denied on the basis that it was against the rules.

We were told, when we addressed the issue with the administration, that they don't say the pledge or have announcements in the mornings because they want to get curriculum started as early and as soon as possible. Does the one minute it takes to get the children to stand, the fifteen seconds it takes to recite the pledge and the one minute to get the children to sit down really impede on the time it takes to start their curriculum?

I mean, Congressional sessions open with the recital of the Pledge, as do many government meetings at local levels, and meetings held by many private organizations. We are asking why? Why do we drop the ball after elementary school?

We believe that middle school and high school age students are more apt to understand the true meaning behind the flag. Not to discredit younger students, but as the student gets older, they are able to really understand the ideals and concepts of this great nation. The pre-adult years are when "the bigger picture" finally comes together.

So, we have broken down the true meaning of the Pledge of Allegiance in the most literal form. What does the Pledge of Allegiance mean? I pledge- A pledge is a promise. Allegiance-Allegiance means loyalty. To the flag- The flag is a symbol of our country. I pledge allegiance to the flag of the United States of America- This means that you promise to be a good friend to your country, the USA. And to the republic- A republic is a place where people get to vote and make choices about leaders and what rules everyone should follow. People are free to agree or disagree and it is OK to be different. For which it stands- The flag of the United States is a symbol for this type of place, our country. One nation- The United States, though it has fifty states, also works together to be stronger. Under God- For those who say this phrase in the Pledge (some don't) God may mean different things to different people. There are many different people who have different beliefs in our country. This phrase is intended to show that a higher power blesses or looks positively on the type of place the United States is. Indivisible- Divisible means able to be divided such as when you cut an apple in two. Adding the prefix "in" means "not". So, indivisible means not able to be divided. This is just like our country. Our country cannot be separated. Our country is strong and cannot be broken up for any reason. With liberty- Liberty means freedom. In the United States we are able to make choices and do what we want. We do not have to be like everyone else. And justice- Justice means fairness. The country does its best to ensure everything is fair for all people and nobody is favored over another. For all- For everyone. So, the Pledge of Allegiance could be summed up by saying: The flag is a symbol of our country, the United States of America, which is a place where we can make choices, vote and it is okay to be different. This is a country where a higher power thinks we are a good country (if you believe in a higher power). Our country will always be together and strong because of that. Our country makes sure people are free and people are treated fairly. I promise to be a good and loyal friend to this country - The United States of America. Source: http://homeschoolpool.info/…/what-does-the-pledge-of-alleg…/

So, now let us define what the word Patriot means since, that is the mascot for the Estill County Middle School: Patriot: 1. A person who loves, supports, and defends his or her country and its interests with devotion. 2. A person who regards himself or herself as a defender, especially of individual rights, against presumed interference by the federal government.

Now let's define Engineer: (the high school mascot) 1. A person trained and skilled in the design, construction, and use of engines or machines, or in any of various branches of engineering: a mechanical engineer; a civil engineer. 2. A person who operates or is in charge of an engine. 3. Also called locomotive engineer. Railroads. A person who operates or is in charge of a locomotive. 4. A member of an army, navy, or air force specially trained in engineering work. 5. A skillful manager: a political engineer. -source dictionary.com

How can we call ourselves Patriots when we are not teaching them that the blood of true Patriots are the reason we live in this great country? To be an Engineer, means to be a skillful manager, but without the meaning of devotion to our Country, what type of "skillful managers" will we have to lead us? How many of our students, parents, grandparents or other family members have pledged their lives to this wonderful country? Maybe to some it is just words that are recited daily for no reason. However, any Patriotic American understands the truth behind the words. Are we raising a generation to disrespect our country, to betray our constitution? Without teaching the Pledge to our adolescents and teenage generations are we harboring domestic terrorism? We realize that many people are just as disgusted as we are at our current administration, but that doesn't give us the right to turn our backs on our oath to this great nation as an American Citizen!

So, we challenge you to two things. 1. Ask your children if they understand the TRUE meaning of the Pledge of Allegiance and what it means to them. You may be surprised to find out that they are completely unaware of the true definition. 2. Demand that our children are given the opportunity to recite the pledge every single morning just as we did when we were in school. God bless you and God bless the USA.

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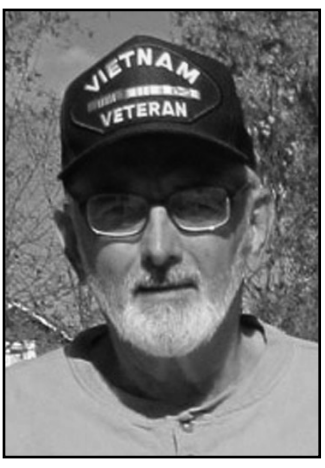
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Eltzroth:Remembering the steam locomotive, 'The General'

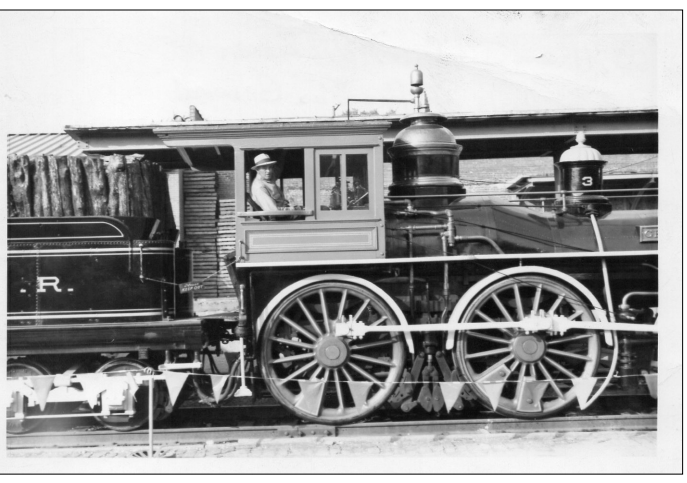


By Jerry Eltzroth
CV&T Guest Columnist

The General is a steam locomotive that was built in December 1855 in Paterson, New Jersey. It provided freight and passenger service between Atlanta, Georgia and Chattanooga, Tennessee before the Civil War for the Western and Atlantic Railroad. The General has a very storied past,and we are lucky it is still with us today instead of ending up on a scrap heap.

On April 12, 1862, during the American Civil War, the General was hijacked by Union forces under the leadership of James J. Andrews at Big Shanty (now Kennesaw, Georgia). The 'Great Locomotive Chase' began as these Unionist forces headed towards Chattanooga, Tennessee. Their intent was to damage as much of the railway and bridges along the way so as to prevent the Confederate forces from using the rail line to support their troops at Chattanooga. Southern sympathizers and Confederate soldiers led by William Fuller, the conductor, immediately started pursuing the hijackers by foot, handcars and a succession of locomotives until they commandeered the Texas locomotive which they had to run in reverse as they chased the hijackers. James Andrews and his force cut telegraph lines along the way to prevent any warnings from being wired to towns in their path. They lacked the necessary tools and high explosives to do any real damage to the railway, especially with Fuller and his men hot on their heels. After a 90-mile chase and just 18 miles from Chattanooga, the hijackers were out of fuel thus the General lost steam pressure which forced the hijackers to abandon the locomotive at Ringgold, Georgia. Within two weeks Andrews and his men were captured. Andrews and seven of his men were tried in military courts and hanged in Atlanta. The rest of the captured hijackers were imprisoned. Eight of those imprisoned escaped and made it back to Union lines. The remaining six men were eventually released in a prisoner of war exchange. All but two of the Union soldiers who participated in the raid were eventually awarded the first Medal of Honors ever bestowed—some posthumously to the families. Because he was a civilian, James Andrews was not eligible for a Medal of Honor.

The General was heavily damaged on September 1, 1964 after being intentionally run into boxcars laden with ammunition and the Missouri locomotive as General Hood and the Confederate forces retreated from Atlanta. After the war ended the General was repaired and returned to service with the Western and Atlantic Rail Road. In the 1870's the General was rebuilt, converted to burn coal and had a completely new look. In 1891



Bill Dickerson is sitting at the controls of the General when it visited Winchester, Kentucky in the early 1960's.



Bill Dickerson and his neighbor, Doug Moore (who was about 8 or 9 years old at the time) are standing in front of the General. You can see the Winchester water tower in the background.

the General was retired from service, stored on a siding and awaited its final fate. E. Warren Clark received permission to have the locomotive restored and placed on exhibition at the World's Columbian Exposition in Chicago. The project bankrupted Warren Clark, but ensured the General's preservation. It remained on display in the Chattanooga Union Depot for nearly 50 years



The General's engineer is lubricating the locomotive.

and was only moved to participate in special events and exhibitions.

The L&N had ownership of the General in 1959 and decided to restore it for the upcoming American Civil War Centennial. It was modernized by fitting it with an oil burning boiler, modern air brakes and was given a look that better resembled its original design. In the early1960's it traveled under its own power to many towns and cities throughout the south as well as across the eastern U.S., including a stop at the 1964 New York World's Fair.

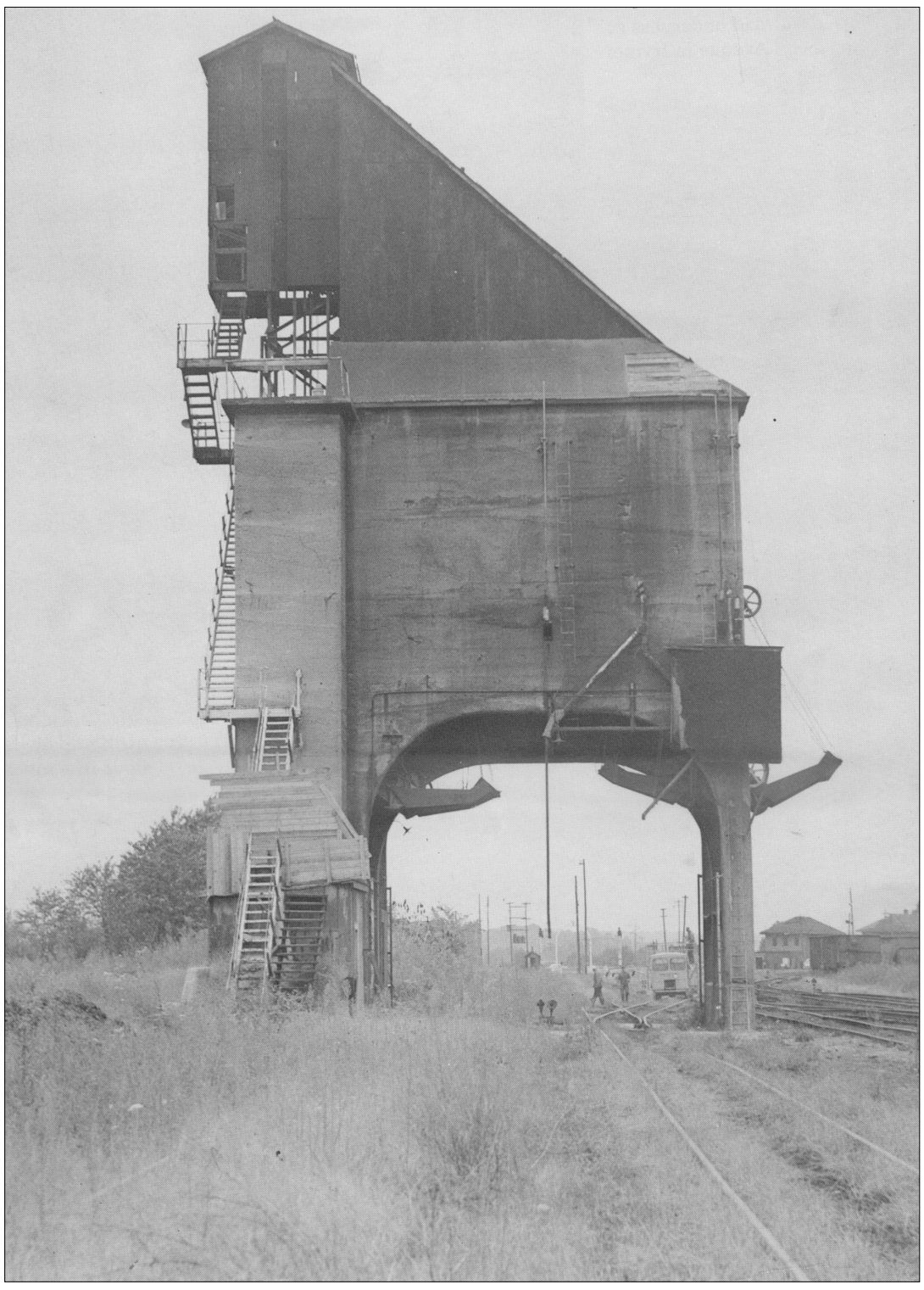
After the L&N won a lengthy legal battle, that was finally decided by the U.S. Supreme Court, contesting the ownership of the General, it was formally presented to Governor Jimmy Carter of Georgia in February 1972 by L&N officials. A site was prepared at the Big Shanty Museum (later known as the Southern Museum of Civil War and Locomotive History) where the General has been on permanent display.

I am old enough to remember the excellent movie made by Walt Disney Studios in 1956 titled, "The Great Locomotive Chase" and starring Fess Parker. It is still available from Amazon.

During the General's Civil War Centennial tour in the early 1960's it stopped at Winchester, Kentucky, so local people could visit this famous Civil War locomotive. My grandfather, Bill Dickerson, was an employee of the L&N Rail Road in Ravenna for 47 years. He traveled to Winchester to see the General and go through the museum car it was pulling. As you can tell by these pictures he was privileged to sit at the controls of this famous locomotive.

It is now the sesquicentennial celebration of the Civil War. In one of the pictures of this article you can see the Confederate battle flag to the right of the Stars and Stripes. Since some find it offensive; is this Confederate flag to be removed? I hope not!

TIMES PAST



The coal and sand chute at Ravenna was built in 1916 and torn down in 1980. It was needed to operate steam locomotives on the East Kentucky division of the L&N Railroad. (Photo taken from "Estill County, Kentucky A Pictorial History")

Rapid Growth of Ravenna During Past Year

From The Irvine Times
January 19, 1917

A year ago an open field -- today a modern town with modern homes and happy people.

Rapid strides made by the business interest in both Ravenna and East Irvine.

Brief story sketches of the leading business firms.

One year ago an open pasture - today a live town of 1,500 inhabitants, doubling the capacity of the depot and yards; this is the story of Ravenna. Ravenna is assured river transportation as soon as the locks are completed, thus giving cheaper freight and coal rates. People are coming in every day and building being erected of substantial structure as will beyond the shadow of a doubt insure the permanency of the town. Ravenna is guaranteed a drug store and picture show in the next 60 days, affording the 500 men employed by the L&N, as well as the rest of the people amusement and pleasure. The Ravenna Realty Co., which holds about 600 acres of land in and around the town, is doing a good business and are looking after the interests of the town in making their sales. Each individual is an enthusiastic booster of the town and all show the proper spirit as regards to making civic and other improvements. Phil Watkins, expert jeweler and optician, has established a store in Ravenna making him two of the best equipped jewelry stores in Eastern Kentucky. The Ravenna store is magnificently stocked and he enjoys a large trade. He is also time inspector for the L&N. Several doctors and dentists have located here, as well as business men from everywhere. The town being only in its infant growth, and striding at such a rapid rate, it is rather difficult to predict just how great its future will be, save that it will be great. Stranger are welcome and the people are very hospitable.

Ravenna is Divisional Headquarters for the L&N. This system is just installing a new concrete coal loading machine that loads three monster engines at one operation and said to be one of the finest in the State. Their new two-story brick office building, modern in every detail, has just been completed in order to accommodate their large business handle here. It is understood that an up-to-date three-story brick hotel building will go up in the near future.

Restaurants are overcrowded and boarding houses full. The open of the spring will see Ravenna one of the fastest growing modern little towns in the state. It is Ravenna's boast: "Visit Ravenna and you'll stay!" The original oil wells in this section were drilled on the present site of the city. Watch Ravenna Grow - and you don't have to use a field glass!

East Irvine, a fast growing little town between Irvine and Ravenna, not to be outdone by her sister cities' vast growth, is following their lead and a perceptible amount of growth is noted daily.

Nancy Carol Hall McDowell, 62

Nancy Carol Hall McDowell, 62, of Elmer Richardson Road in Irvine died Friday, July 3, 2015, at the Marcum & Wallace Memorial Hospital after a long illness. She was born October 6, 1952 in Estill County and was the daughter of the late Dewey Eldon and Juanita Norton Hall. She was a homemaker and attended the Church of God. She had lived in Estill County all of her life.

She is survived by her husband, Thomas Edward McDowell; two daughters, Brenda Gayle Roberts of Powell County and Tina Renee Spencer of Powell County; three sons, Thomas Dewayne McDowell of Estill County, Michael Edward McDowell of Estill County, and Steven Dewey McDowell of Estill County; a sister, Nettie Baker of Estill County; three brothers, Eldon Hall of Estill County, Kenny Hall of Estill County, and Jeff Hall of Estill County; six grandchildren, James Michael McDowell, Ceira Nicole McDowell, Kendra Renee McDowell, Ryan Tyler McDowell, Riley Hope McDowell and Andrew McDowell. She was preceded in death by a sister, Connie Hall; and two grandchildren, William Austin Dale Spencer and Michael Logan McDowell.

Funeral services were conducted Tuesday, July 7, at the Pea Ridge Holiness Church with Bro. Beverly Arvin and Bro. Jerry Rose officiating. Burial at the West Irvine Cemetery. Pallbearers were Eddie Roberts, Ryan Fraley, Ryan McDowell, Jeff Hall, Kenny Hall and Ran Hall.

Genevieve Nancy McIntosh Tucker, 86

Genevieve Nancy McIntosh Tucker, 86, of Coral Avenue in Irvine died Tuesday, July 7, 2015, at the Compassionate Care Center following a short illness. She was born March 26, 1929 in Madison County and was the daughter of the late Wilgus and Pauline Strong McIntosh. She was a retired employee of Kaiser Engineers and had lived in Estill County the past 13 years.

She is survived by two sons, Thomas G. Tucker, and E.L. Tucker, both of Estill County; a sister, Ann Blackwell of Estill County;three grandchildren; and six great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by a daughter, Marlayne Turner; two sisters, Loraine Toler and Margaret Wolfinbarger; and a brother, Wilgus McIntosh.

Memorial services will be held at a later date. Warren F. Toler Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Glen Walling, 76

Glen Walling, 76, died at his home June 26, 2015 after a long illness. He lived most of his life in Estill County. He was born February 26, 1939, the son of the late Howell and Fannie Charles Walling. He was preceded in death by two brothers Harold Gene Walling and Garett Walling; one sister, Drucilla Walling Gross.

Survivors include his estranged wife, Naomi Walling; two daughters, Devina Neal, and Hazel Baker; two sons Jeff and wife, Tammy Walling, and Ricky Walling; his stepdaughters, Chelle and husband, Shane Issacs, April and husband, Phillip Riddell, Jannus and husband, Bob Rhodus, Patricia and husband, Eddie Brandenburg, and Sandra Kay Prater; his sister, Ruby and husband, Fred Moreland; his brothers, James and wife, Eva Walling, and Floyd and wife, Christine Walling; several grandchildren including Steven (Brianna Richardson) Neal, Cody Neal, Greg Walling, Christopher Walling; three great-grandchildren, Bently (Kayla Williams) Portwood, Caitlyn and Carly Riddell.

Services were held Saturday, July 4th, at the Pine Hill Baptist Church with Carl Dennis Williams officiating. Burial in the Gross Point Family Cemetery. Pallbearers were Steven Neal, Cody Neal, Jeff Walling, Shane Isaaacs, Jeff Riddell, and Phillip Riddell. Arrangements entrusted to Heritage Funeral Home www.heritageofrichmond.com

Jerry Elwood Warner, 72



Jerry Elwood Warner, 72, of Sub Station Road in Irvine died Friday, July 3, 2015, at the Compassionate Care Center following a long illness. He was born September 5, 1942 in Estill County and was the son of the late James Edward and Grace Riddell Warner. He was a retired employee of Control Conditioner and was a United States Navy veteran. He attended the Victory Tabernacle and was a member of the Kentucky Friends of Bluegrass.

He is survived by his wife, Barbara Ann Riddell Warner; three daughters, Lisa Lynn Rawlins and husband, Tim of Estill County, Bridgette Muncy and husband, Mike of Estill County, Libby Ann Wiseman and husband, Danny of Estill County; a son, Jerald E. "Bubby" Miller of Estill County; two sisters, Faye Tipton of Ohio and Imogene McIntiosh of North Carolina; nine grandchildren; four great grandchildren; and several neices and nephews. He was preceded in death by a sister, Wanda Carlon; a brother, Larry Warner; and a grandchild, Jerrod Tyler Miller.

Funeral services were conducted Tuesday, July 7, at the Warren F. Toler Funeral Home Chapel with Bro. Geral Richardson officiating. Burial at the Turpin Cemetery. Pallbearers were Ryan Wiseman, Andy Wiseman, Dylan Miller, Kyle Rawlins, Devin Wiseman, Vernon Hunt, Jr., Teddy Hunt. Honorary Pallbearers were Jeremy Miller, Wendi Winkler, Traci Wiseman and Savannah Rawlins.

Lester Eugene Wilson, 57

Lester Eugene Wilson, 57, of Maulpin Hill Road in Irvine died Saturday, July 4, 2015, at his son's home following a sudden illness. He was born January 27, 1958 in Estill County and was the son of the late Cornelios Wilson and Ida Belle Peters Campbell. He was a carpenter and had lived in Estill County all of his life.

He is survived by his son, Robert Lee Wilson of Estill County; a sister, Gladys Graham of Estill County; two brothers, Cornelios Wilson, Jr. of Estill County and Billy Joe Wilson of Estill County; a grandchild, Leslie Dawn Wilson. He was preceded in death by a sister, Diane Willis.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, July 8, at the Warren F. Toler Funeral Home Chapel. Burial at the Campbell Cemetery. Pallbearers were Anthony Coffey, Josh Kirby, Chris Kirby, Cody Isaacs, Bobby Carroll and Danny Hardy. Honorary Pallbearers were Preston Stepp and Millard Kelly.

In Loving Memory



"Indian Jim"
James Edward Bolton, Sr.

James Edward Bolton, Sr., known to most as "Indian Jim" on Happy Top Road has drifted off this mortal coil and gone to meet his maker on the evening of April 11, 2015. His spirit was released from his tired shell and is now more than likely persuading Gabriel to let him take just one more stroll in his woods to his "sittin spot." His mother Emma Mae Mills preceded him. Indian Jim is survived by his children; seven grandchildren; 24 great grandchildren; and eleven great-great grandchildren.

Retired from Happy Top Acres Farms, Apple Tree Well Drilling, and Happy Top Salvage, Indian Jim was eligible to register as a Cherokee, an honor he declined, stating he "didn't need a paper to tell him what he was."

As there will be no viewing, rather a nice friendly get together for a celebration of a life well lived at 352 Happy Top Road. So plan to drop by on July 18, 2015 starting at 2 p.m., but don't dress up, this invite is like Jesus' invitation to salvation to you... come as you are. Swap stories about good times, enjoy the view, food and refreshments.

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Association of Mature American Citizens: Facts of life

Leave it to the bureaucrats

Social Security overpayments are hard to recover-so hard, in fact, that the Social Security Administration overpaid, big time, to get a bunch of recent overpayments back.

The agency spent a whopping $323 million to recover $128.3 million in overpayments made between 2008 and 2013, reports the Association of Mature American Citizens.

The Office of the Inspector General caught the mega-million dollar slip up in a recent audit. "SSA attempted to collect overpayments regardless of the amount. In some cases, the value of the overpayment was less than what SSA spent to collect the overpayment. Therefore, for some overpayments, collection was not always cost-beneficial," according to the OIG report.

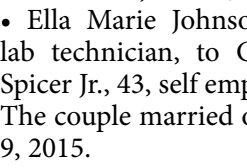
"This resulted in SSA spending over $213.6 million more than it collected."

Seniors on the move

Senior citizens like to travel, according to a survey conducted the Association of Mature American Citizens. Some take trips just to get away for a while; others have particular destinations in mind including visits to friends and family. Most prefer to stay in the U.S. but nearly a third said they are as likely to travel abroad.

The AMAC survey drew some 1,500 respondents and is consistent with the findings of other authoritative researchers.

Many seniors take trips in order to follow their wanderlust; others travel because it makes them feel better. In fact, geriatrician Dr. David has been widely quoted encouraging older Americans to travel. He says it helps you live longer.



COURTHOUSE NEWS

Permits

Olivia Jo Wise and Ashley Drum.

Intermediate Driver's Licenses

Codi T. Barnett, Kaylee C. Collins, Jacob B. Evans, Olivia D. Ritchie, and Jamie K. Sparks.

Motorcycle Permit

Gregory Griggs.

Motorcycle License

Charles Riddell.

Marriages

• Martha Liesegang Bledsoe, 53, lab technician, to Donnie Dewayne Cundiff, 53, disabled. The couple married on June 18, 2015.

• Ella Marie Johnson, 53, lab technician, to Charles Spicer Jr., 43, self employed. The couple married on July 9, 2015.

• Catherine Alyson Cunningham, 44, quality adm., to William Shelby Richard, 42, parts pro, The couple married on June 28, 2015.

• Nicki Lee Curtis, 46, self employed, to Charles Adam Noland, 37, self employed. The couple married on July 2, 2015.

• Audrey Lee Watkins, 25, accounting administrator, Robert Hayden Arnold, 44, owner 82 Food Mart. The couple married on July 11, 2015.

Deeds

• Charles F. Walton to Jason and Doris Renae Allen, $55,000, real property located and situated in Estill County, Kentucky. More particularly described as Parcel No 1: All of Lot No. C-5, of the Virginia Estates Addition to the City of Irvine and Parcel No. 2: A certain tract or parcel of land that is at the intersection of Sweet Lick Road and Bertha Wallace Drive. Deed book 304, page 69.

• Beatrice King to Darryl G. Foster and Teresa G. Disalvo, in consideration of love and affection, real property located and situated in Estill County, Kentucky. More particularly described as Tract No 1: being 2.23 acres, more or less on Crooked Creek -Low Gap Road and Tract No 3: being 1.02 acres, more or less, on Crooked Cree-Low Gap Road. Deed book 304, page 81.

• Richard K. and Regena Floyd to Ronnie and Ellisa Mays, $72,5000, real property located and situated in Estill County, Kentucky. More particularly described as a certain tract or parcel of land in the City of Ravenna, and being known as 725 Main Street, Ravenna KY 40472. Deed book 304, page 85.

• Lucas B. Henry to Shawn Baber, $9,000, real property located and situated in Estill County, Kentucky. More particularly described as two acres, more or less, behind the Chestnut Stand Graveyard. Deed book 304, page 93.

District Civil Court

• Personal Finance Company LLC vs. Gregory Pell, $2,487.73, claimed debt owed plus court costs and interest.

• Alpha Credit Corporation vs. Richard Johnson, $2,931.67, claimed debt owed plus court costs and interest.

• Capital One Bank (USA) vs. Maleia E. Thomas, $1,281.04, claimed debt owed plus court costs and interest.

• Portfolio Recovery Associates LLC vs. Jason Thomas, $1,187.25, claimed debt owed plus court costs and interest.

• Hope Hughes vs. Joyce Thacker, $375, claimed rent owed, seeking eviction.

Circuit Civil Court

• U.S.Bank Trust vs. Ronda Rawlins, a/k/a Ronda G. Rawlins, $53,829.23, claimed debt owed plus court costs and interest.

• Kentucky Housing Corporation vs. Regina M. bowman, $60,744.46, claimed debt owed plus court costs and interest.

• Jim Charles Brooks vs. Brenda Lee Brooks, seeking custody.

• Beneficial Kentucky, Incorporated vs. Tammera Lee Terry and Clinton Terry, $147,103.17, claimed debt owed plus court costs and interest.

• U.S. Bank National Association vs. Shirley L. Patrick, a/k/a Shirley Wiseman, $35,137.17, claimed debt owed plus court costs and interest.

Circuit Civil Court

court held July 7, 2015

• William Andrew Kelly, arraignment, trafficking in controlled substance, first degree, second or > greater offense (<10 D. U. opiates),plead not guilty, pretrial conference September 3, status hearing September 25.

• Edgar L. Tucker, arraignment, convicted felon in possession of a handgun, continued until July 24 for arraignment.

• Anthony Wayne Coffey, arraignment, trafficking in controlled substance, first degree, frist offense (<10 D. U. opiates), first degree possession of controlled substance/opiate, first offense, controlled substance prescription not in original container first offense, plead not guilty, pretrial conference September 3, status hearing September 25.

• David Haney, arraignment, assault, second degree, plead not guilty, pretrial conference August 6, status hearing August 28.

• Logan Reed, arraignment, receiving stolen property under $10,000, plead not guilty, pretrial conference October 1, status hearing October 6.

• Elijah Stone, arraignment, receiving stolen property $10,000 or more, operating motor vehicle/influence of alcohol/drugs, ect. .08 first offense, fleeing or evadinging police, second degree(on foot), plead not guilty, $2,500 cash bond with Monitored Controlled Release, pretrial conference October 1, status hearing October 6.



Sparks celebrate 50th Anniversary



Photo submitted

Delbert and Ona Lee Sparks (former residents of Irvine) celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary on July 3, 2015. They have two children, five grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

An Encouraging Word: We anticipate something better

By Howard Coop

On Tuesday morning, November 10, 1970, I drove with great apprehension to the Greater Cincinnati Airport. It was to be my first flight, and I was excited. A dream of a lifetime was becoming a reality, for I was on my way to the Holy Land, a place I had always wanted to visit.

At 11:40 that morning, a group of us boarded an American Airlines Boeing 707 for Kennedy International Airport in New York. As we walked to the plane, it was a gloomy day. Dark clouds hovered low over the airport, and a chilly rain was falling. As the plane neared the end of the runway and began to rise, I looked out the window and saw only dense fog. Looking to the right, I could not see the end of the wing of the plane, and my apprehension increased significantly. But in that strange environment, I realized there was nothing I could do, so I tried to relax and hoped that things would get better, and they did.

After a few minutes, the plane rose above the rain and the dark clouds. The wings of the plane became visible as the sun came out, and the clouds below the plane were beautiful with the sun shining brightly upon them.

Life is not always what we want it to be; it's not always a bed of roses. Langston Hughes aptly described it when he wrote, "Life for me ain't been no crystal stair. It's had tacks in it, and splinters, and boards turned up..." But that morning as we flew thirty thousand feet above sea level, I looked out the window at what looked like a white carpet sparkling beneath us in the bright sun, and I remembered an old idiom I had heard all of my life, "Every cloud has a silver lining."

After the rain, the sun shines again, and after bad times, good times return. Regardless of the present circumstances, we look ahead and anticipate something better.

Estill County Schools
PRESCHOOL REGISTRATION/SCREENING
2015-16 School Year

CALL GENIA TO SCHEDULE A SCREENING APPOINTMENT AT 726-3078



Scheduled Screening Date
Monday, July 20, 2015
2:00 pm to 7:00 pm
At South Irvine P-K Center,
1000 South Irvine Road, Irvine, KY

Preschool Qualification Guidelines:

- Children who turn four years old by August 1st and meet income requirements or have a delay or disability
- Children who turn three years old by August 1st and have a delay or disability or meet Head Start requirements
- Children may attend on a tuition basis, depending upon enrollment numbers of income-eligible students. Tuition fee is $175 per month for 10 months. This is offered on a first-come, first-served basis for four year old children.

Bring the following required documents to the screening appointment:

- Child's Certified State Sealed Birth Certificate (not a hospital certificate)
- Child's Social Security Card (optional)
- Proof of Family Income (For eligibility purposes): Check Stub, Tax Forms, Statement from Employer, SSI Award Letter, Food Stamp Letter, Child Care Subsidy Form, statement from person providing room and board
- Up to date immunization certificate recorded on a Kentucky form only
- School Entry Physical that includes blood pressure, Hemoglobin count, and Lead Screening/test
- Eye Exam by an Optometrist or Ophthalmologist
- School Entry Dental Exam performed by a licensed dental professional
- Medical Insurance Card
- Copy of legal guardianship, (if not biological parent)

The above documents will be required for your child to ATTEND school in August 2015.

It is important to bring your child to registration as he/she will be screened at that time. The developmental screening will involve your child in several learning and play activities. Through these activities we will examine his/her developmental status in areas such as general language, hand-eye coordination, gross motor progress (e.g. catching, skipping), as well as school knowledge (e.g., shapes, colors). Your child will not be expected to complete all the tasks. We are more interested in how he/she responds to the tasks. A speech language pathologist will screen for speech and language concerns if needed. A hearing screening will be completed during the screening process. The screening will last approximately 1 hour.

Preschool children must qualify for the preschool program according to State and Federal guidelines in order to attend.

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CALENDAR

Alcohol Anonymous

Alcoholics Anonymous meets every night, Monday through Sunday at 8 p.m. at 167 Broadway, Irvine. There are no dues or fees.

Al-Anon Meetings

The Al-Anon group will meet every Thursday at noon at WestCare. Al-Anon is a meeting for family members and friends of those with alcohol abuse problems. Call 723-0283 for more information.

Aldersgate Summer Camp

Lots of camps are filling up, but you can reserve the right camp for you and your family by contacting the Camp Office at 606-723-5078 or office@aldersgatecamp.org.

Alzheimer's Program

This program will help participants understand the common symptoms and behaviors seen in early stage Alzheimer's and how to address them. Additionally, caregivers will learn about what lies ahead legally and financially, the importance of early planning, and how to build an effective care team. This program, presented in partnership by the Madison County Public Library and the Alzheimer's Association, will take place August 4, at the Madison County Public Library, located at 507 West Main Street, Richmond, from 2 to 4:30 p.m. To register, call the Alzheimer's Association 24/7 Helpline at 1-800-272-3900. This program was created especially for family caregivers, so please no professionals.

Berea Arts Council

The Berea Arts Council is gearing up for the 11th annual Quilt Extravaganza and first Antiques Fair on Friday, July 31, and Saturday, August 1. Tickets will be $5 at the door, but you can get yours for $3 if you get them before July 29. Stop by the gallery to get your tickets today. For information on the Community Quilt Show, visit our website, www.BereaArts Council.org.

Commodity Supplemental Food Program

The Commodity Supplemental Food Program (CSFP) is a monthly supplemental food package program for low-income elderly, age 60 and over. The Estill County Senior Center, local distributing agency for the CSFP, is currently accepting applications for this program. To apply, please provide the following documents: state-issued ID, proof of income for all members of the household and a current utility bill. Apply at the Estill County Senior Citizens Center, 100 Golden Court, Irvine. Please call Diane Riddell (606) 723-4787 for more information about the CSFP.

County Agricultural Investment Program

Applications will be available for Estill County's CAIP to assist farmers in making important on-farm investments. The application period is June 25 through July 10, 2015. Applications will only be accepted during this time. Please obtain your Farm Serial Number (FSN) from the Farm Service Agency at the Richmond USDA Service Center prior to applying. Application availability is at the Estill County Conservation District 1505 Richmond Road, on Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. For more information, contact 606-723-5104 or Find us on Facebook at www.facebook.com/ECCDKY

Farmers Market

Farmers market is now open from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Tuesdays at the fairground pavilion and from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Saturdays in Ravenna beside the Veteran's Memorial Park. Please come and ave a good time while supporting your local farmers.

Farm Seminar

The Kentucky Farm Succession Seminar will be held on July 23, at the Riverpark Center in Owensboro from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. and on July 24, at the Griffin Gate Marriott in Lexington. Lunch will be provided both days. Theme is "Building the Bridge to your Farm's Future." Guest speakers include Dr. David Kohl, Dr. Steve Isaacs, and Jolene Brown.

Health Checks

There will be monthly health checks that provide blood pressure monitoring and health counseling at the following locations: First Wednesday at Williams Memorial Baptist Church, Third Sunday at Ravenna Christian Church, and Third Sunday at St. Elizabeth Catholic Church.

GED Center

The Adult Education Center (GED Center) is open for the summer. Please call 606-723-7323 for hours of operation.

Kindergarten Registration

Children who are five years old on or before October 1, 2015 are eligible to start Kindergarten in August 2015. Call South Irvine P-K Center at 723-4700 to register your child for kindergarten.

Kindergarten Camp Cancelled

The Kindergarten Camp scheduled for Monday, July 27th has been cancelled. Your child will receive a letter in the mail from their teacher with the rescheduled date for kindergarten open house.

Yard Sale

The Irvine First Church of God Missionary Ladies will be having a yard sale on Friday, July 31 from 9 a.m. until 4 p.m. and Saturday, August 1 starting at 9 a.m. until 3 p.m. at the Fellowship hall of the Irvine First Church of God (White building behind the church) 199 Broadway, Irvine.

REUNIONS

Hall Reunion

The annual reunion of the late Morris Hall and Henry Hall will be held Saturday, July 18 at the Fellowship Hall at Bethel Christian Church on New Fox Road. Pleas bring a covered dish and join us. The meal will be served at 12:30 p.m.

Roberts Reunion

The annual Roberts' Reunion will be hels Sunday, July 19 form 11 a.m. until 5 p.m. at the Masonic Lodge on Broadway, Irvine. Sharing the past, enjoying the present, and embracing the future. For more information, call Lois Neal McClanahan at 859-221-2414.

90th Annual McKinney Reunion

The ninetieth annual McKinney Reunion will be held Saturday, July 25, at Jackson's Chapel United Methodist Church at Spout Springs, Ky (Highway 82 between Hargett and Clay City), connecting our history with that of our ancestors down through the years. All descendants and friends of descendants of Wildy McKinney are welcome. To date, listed in our genealogy are 2,676 descendants of Wildy's sons and daughters: David Russell, Lucy, William Matthew, Elizabeth, Mariam, Martha, Polly Jane, James Franklin (the Elder) Richard, Thomas Shelton, and Joel William. The theme of our reunion is "Love." Bring photos of you and your love/s and your ancestors and their love/s, wedding pictures, wedding invitations, wedding newspaper articles, and stories to tell. The church will be open at 10:30 for visiting, searching the genealogy (editing and adding to it), sharing your photos of the family and important places in the family history both antique and contemporary, catching up with each other, and sharing stories. The Annual Family Group Picture will be taken at 12:00 sharp, followed immediately by Pot Luck Dinner at 12:15, Hymn Sing 1:30, and Business Meeting. Come as early as you can. Stay as long as you like.

30-year Class Reunion

Classmates and Graduates from 1985, it is less than 3 weeks away from our 30th reunion. Remember to call Rebecca at 606-643-5569 or contact her through Facebook to let her know that you are coming to the reunion. Better yet, send your $5 to Rebecca Click at 260 Sandhill Road in Irvine, KY 40336.

We will be meeting in a private room at Gillum's Restaurant in the Old Richmond Mall on Saturday, July 25th from 5 to 9 p.m. to catch up on the new times and remember the old times. Hope to see you there. If you have questions, call 606 643-5569.

Community Calendar and Church News announcements should include a brief description of the event along with the time, date and location. Please include a phone number for more information with the announcement. Announcements can be submitted by mail, email or phone. Deadline for announcements is Monday at 5 p.m.

AND CHURCH

BAPTIST

BEECH GROVE BAPTIST Red Lick Rd., Rt. 3, 723-6745; S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Pastor Marion Brewer

CALVARY BAPTIST 723-7187 or 2416; S.S. 9:45 & 11 a.m.; W.S. 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wed. 7 p.m.

COW CREEK BAPTIST Hwy. 52, Beattyville Rd., Ravenna; 723-6183; Harold J. Lahrmer, Min.

DRIP ROCK BAPTIST, Route 2004; S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 11:30 a.m. Wed. 7 p.m. 4th Saturday singing 6 p.m.

EASTER VALLEY BAPTIST Star Route, Irvine; Pastor, Michael Davis; S.S. 10am, W.S. 10:45am & 6pm.

EMMANUEL BAPTIST 3905 Richmond Rd.; Sherl Thomas, Min.; S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 11 a.m. & 6 p.m., Wed. 7 p.m.

FAITH BAPTIST, KY 52, 1 mile east of Estill-Lee county line. SS 10 a.m., Worship 11 a.m. & 6 p.m., Wednesday 6:30 p.m. Pastor, Todd Blevins

FIRST BAPTIST 723-4573, 351 Broadway, 723-4173; Keith Willams, Min.; S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.; Wed. 7 p.m.

FRIENDSHIP BAPTIST Hudson Avenue and River Drive, 723-4816; Scott Rogers, min. S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 11 a.m. and 6 p.m. Wed. 6 p.m.

GREENBRIAR BAPTIST 6750 McKee Rd.; S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.; Wed. 7 p.m. Pastor, Delmar McGee.

HARG BAPTIST Spout Springs Rd., 723-6747; Larry Neal, Min.; S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 11 a.m. Wed. 7 p.m.

IVORY HILL BAPTIST 8315 Winchester Rd., Ted Barker, Min.; S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 11 a.m. Wed. 7 p.m.

KNOB LICK BAPTIST CHURCH Knob Lick Rd., Fred Livingood, pastor; S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 11 a.m. & 6 p.m., Wed. 6 p.m.

MORRIS CREEK MISSIONARY BAPTIST Kevin Chaney, Pastor; S.S. 10 a.m., W.S. 10:45 a.m. & 6 p.m.

NEW BETHEL MISSIONARY BAPTIST S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 10:45 a.m. & 6p.m., Thurs. 6 p.m.

NEW BETHEL #1 BAPTIST CHURCH Barnes Mt.; Rev. Billy L. Stamper; W.S. Sunday 11 a.m.

OLD TIME BAPTIST Jerry Chaney Pastor; Sunday School 10:00 a.m.; Singing Service, Worship Service follows the singing.

PANOLA BAPTIST Marvin Neal Pastor; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Sunday W.S. 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.; Wednesday service, 7 p.m.

PINE HILL BAPTIST Star-Route Bro. Dennis Williams, Min. S.S. 10 a.m., W.S. 11 a.m. & 6 p.m., Wed. 6 p.m.

PROVIDENCE BAPTIST S.S. 9:45 a.m.; W.S. 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.Wed. 7 p.m., Kyle Knight pastor.

SALEM BAPTIST Spout Springs, 723-6683; Jerry Smith, Min.; S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 11 a.m. & 7 p.m.

SOUTH IRVINE BAPTIST 1215 South Irvine Road, 723-8298; S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wed. 7 p.m. Pastor, Donnie Burford.

THOMAS BAPTIST Route 2; Rick Kirby, Min.; S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 11 a.m. & 7 p.m.; Wed. 7 pm. Phone 723-6809

WILLIAMS MEMORIAL BAPTIST 404 Poplar St., Ravenna, 723-5429; Pastor, Chris Winkler; S.S. 9:45 a.m.; W.S. 10:50 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wed. 6 p.m.

CATHOLIC

ST. ELIZABETH CATHOLIC CHURCH 322 Fifth St., Ravenna; 723-4705; Father Al Fritsch, SJ, Mass 9 a.m. Sun.; Weekday Mass 6 p.m. Wed. & Thurs., Religious Ed. 6:30 p.m. Wed.

CHRISTIAN

BEAVER POND CHRISTIAN Glendon Mays, Min., S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.; Bible Study Wed. 6 p.m.

BETHEL CHRISTIAN Fox, KY 859-744-0277, Doyle Spry, Min.; S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 11 a.m. & 5 p.m.

CORINTH CHRISTIAN Linville Dunaway, 723-3369. S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wed. 7 p.m.

CROOKED CREEK CHRISTIAN Leo Crowe, Min. S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 11 a.m. & 7 p.m.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH 270 Main St., Irvine 723-2924 S.S. 9:45 a.m.; W.S. 10:45 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wed. 6 p.m. Bro. Greg Humpert, Pastor.

MT. CARMEL CHRISTIAN 180 Furnace Jct., Ravenna, Min. Mark Pearson, 726-9342, church, cell phone 859-582-5015; S.S. 9:45 a.m.; W.S. 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wed. 6 p.m.

RAVENNA CHRISTIAN 7th & Elm; S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 11 a.m., Bible Study Wednesday, 7 p.m. Pastor Tony White

RICE STATION CHRISTIAN Rice Station Rd. 723-4791; Kirt Scott, Min.; S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wed. 7 p.m.

RIVER DRIVE CHRISTIAN 363 River Dr., 723-2553; Minister Paul Groves. S.S. 9:45 a.m. W.S. 10:45 am, 6:00 pm and Wed. 7:00 pm

SAND HILL CHRISTIAN 626-5862; Matt Vaught, Min.; S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.; Wed. 7 p.m.

SOUTH IRVINE CHRISTIAN 932 South Irvine Rd., 859-744-1693; Mike Chism, Min.; S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wed. 7 p.m.

STATION CAMP CHRISTIAN Scott Beauchamp, Pastor; S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

BROADWAY CHURCH OF CHRIST 262 Broadway, 859-369-4165; Bob Casey, Min.; S.S. 10 a.m., W.S. 11 a.m. & 6 p.m., Wed 6 p.m.

COBHILL CHURCH OF CHRIST S.S. 10 a.m; W.S. 10:30 a.m. & 6 p.m.

SOUTH IRVINE CHURCH OF CHRIST 723-3707; Tony Belcher, Min.; S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wed. 7 p.m.

WEST IRVINE CHURCH OF CHRIST Bond St.; Jason Dixon, Min.; S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 11 a.m., Wed. 7 p.m.

CHURCH OF GOD

FIRST CHURCH OF GOD Millers Creek 723-4749; Merle Travis, Min.; S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wed. 7 p.m.

GUM SPRINGS CHURCH OF GOD Glenn Case, Min.; S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 11:15 a.m. & 6p.m.; Bible Study Wed. 7 p.m.

HARGETT FIRST CHURCH OF GOD Forrest Turpin, Min.; S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wednesday 7 p.m.

IRVINE CHURCH OF GOD OF PROPHECY 223 High St. S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 6:30 p.m. Wed. 7 p.m.

IRVINE FIRST CHURCH OF GOD 197 Broadway 723-6911; Stanley Hutchinson, Pastor; S.S. 9:45 a.m.; W.S. 10:45 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wed. 6:30 p.m. p.m.

RAVENNA CHURCH OF GOD 212 Third St. 723-2898 Willie Hargus Gordon, Min. Brad Brinegar, Youth Pastor; S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 10:45 a.m. & 6:00 p.m. Wed. 7 p.m.

ROADSIDE MISSION CHURCH OF GOD Furnace Road, 723-4183; Henry Johnson, Pastor

WHITE OAK CHURCH OF GOD Rt. 4, 723-0562; Glyndon Woosley, Min.; S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 10:45 a.m. & 6 p.m., Wed. 7 p.m.

METHODIST

CEDAR GROVE UNITED METHODIST Rt. 5, 859-986-3265; Greg McClellan, Pastor; S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wed. 6 p.m.

IRVINE FREE METHODIST 113 Plum St. 606-531-0465; Rev. Chris Carlyle, Min.; S.S. 9:30 a.m.; W.S. 10:30 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wed. 6:30 p.m. Adult, Youth, Kids' Club.

IRVINE UNITED METHODIST 243 N. Main St. 723-3667; Rev. Don Hatton Min.; 723-2634 S.S. 9:30 a.m.; W.S. 10:45 a.m. & 6 p.m.

WISEMANTOWN UNITED METHODIST 1358 Wisemantown Rd., 723-5694; Pastor Greg McClellan, S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 11 a.m. & 5 p.m.; Wed., 7 p.m.

NAZARENE

IRVINE FIRST CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE, Broadway, Irvine Pastor Curt Napier, Sr.; SS 9:45 a.m., MW 10:45 a.m.; S.E. 6 p.m.; Wed., 7 p.m. 517-719-2238.

RAVENNA CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE, Main St., Ravenna Pastor: Rev. Rob Steinbrook, SS 10 a.m., MW 10:45 a.m. EW 6 p.m., Wed. 7 p.m. 723-4259.

OTHER

BODY OF CHRIST, Bill Wesley, pastor; Sunday morning service 11 a.m.; Sunday night service 6 p.m.;Thursday night service, 7 p.m.

CHRISTIAN WORSHIP CENTER Jim Bonny Pastor, Broadway, Irvine; 606-531-0102; S. S. 10 a.m. W.S. 10:45 am, Wednesdays at 7 p.m.

CRYSTAL HOLINESS CHURCH, Pastor Jerry Rose, Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Friday, 7 p.m.

FULL GOSPEL EVANGELISTIC MINISTRY CHURCH 1972 Winchester Road., Irvine; 606-723-0343; Pastor Larry Collins; Church service Sun. 11 a.m.; Wed. 7 p.m.

GREEN PASTURES WORSHIP CENTER 722 Broadway, Irvine; Doug Baker, Min.; Sun. 10:30 am., youth service Sun. 6 p.m., Wed. adult Bible study at 6:30 p.m. Phone 606-726-0510.

HIGH STREET FULL GOSPEL CHURCH, HIGH SRTEET IRVINE; 859-369-5354; Pastor David Woosley; S.S. -10 a.m. Sunday Worship Services- 11 a.m. Evening-6p.m. Wed.- 7p.m.

IRVINE APOSTOLIC CHURCH 823 River Dr. 723-1904; Pastor Ivan Smith; S.S. 10 a.m. Sun. 6 p.m., Wed. 7:30 p.m.

NEW BEGINNING FELLOWSHIP 813 Old Richmond Rd., 723-5612; Delvin Reece, Min.; S.S. 10 a.m.; W.S. 10:45 a.m. & 6:30 p.m. Wed. 7 p.m.

NEW VISION FULL GOSPEL, 5th St., Ravenna, SS 10a.m., MW 11 a.m., Sun. 6pm, Wed. 7p.m. Pastor: Buford Powell

SOUTH IRVINE PENTECOSTAL CHURCH OF GOD Senior Pastor, Rev. Todd Hignite; Sun. 6 p.m. Tues. 7 p.m.

THE NEW LIFE APOSTOLIC CHURCH, (UPC) 2502 Richmond Rd. 723-4105; Ross Conley; S.S. 10 a.m. Sun. 6 p.m. Tues. 7:30 p.m.

OUTREACH CHURCH, Services Sunday, worship-11 a.m.; Thursday prayer meeting, 7 p.m.

STACY LANE COMMUNITY PENTECOSTAL CHURCH OF GOD 723-5076; Jason Riddell, Min.; W.S. 7:30 p.m. Fri./Sun.

WAGERSVILLE COMMUNITY PENTECOSTAL CHURCH OF GOD Beverly T. Arvin, Min.; S.S. 10:30 a.m.; W.S. 7:30 p.m. Sun. 6 p.m.: Thurs./Sat.

LOWER RED LICK HOLINESS CHURCH
Dwight Northern, Min.; Sun. 6:30 p.m.; Thurs. 7 p.m.

RESTORATION NOW MINISTRIES, 100 Tyler Lane, Irvine, Pastor, Veronica Lay,; Sunday W.S. 11 a.m.; Wed. 7 p.m. 723-2449.

TRUE VINE MINISTRIES, 102 River Drive, Irvine, Bro. Terry Barnes, Sunday W.S. 10 a.m.; S.E. 6 p.m., 723-8421.

ST. TIMOTHY'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH, 170 St. Timothys Rd, Irvine, Sunday W.S. 4 p.m., 726-0607.

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CHURCH NEWS

Panola Baptist Church

Panola Baptist Church in Waco is having a back to school affair on Saturday, August 1, at 1:00 p.m., sponsored by Second Blessings from Winchester. There will be two bounce houses, a slide, cotton candy, corn toss, food, and gospel singing. Those in attendance are asked to bring school supplies to donate which will be given to area school children. Come join in on an afternoon of fun, games, and food. You will be greatly blessed. Everyone is invited.

Ravenna Nazarene Concert

There will be a special concert at Ravenna Church of the Nazarene. For over 50 years, The Joymakers have been sharing the good news of the gospel of Jesus Christ through music. Join us this Sunday at Ravenna Church of the Nazarene to hear this wonderful Southern Gospel Group. The concert begins at 10:45 a.m. Call us if you have any questions or need directions. The number is 606-723-4259.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Ravenna Church of God

Ravenna Church of God is having our Vacation Bible School on Monday through Friday, July 20 through 24, from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. each night. The theme is "Bible – Blast to the Past." There will be lots of fun, games & snacks each night. Please join us for an awesome bible school, as always! For further information, call 723-8596.

Salem Baptist

Salem Baptist Church on Highway 82 (4470 Spout Springs Road) will be hosting Journey Off the Map (Lifeway) Vacation Bible School, the week of July 19-23, from 6 to 8:30 p.m. Classes will be held for all ages, babies through adults. A kick-off picnic with water slide will start the festivities on July 18, at 6 p.m. at the Salem pavilion. Come join us for all the fun and excitement!

Community Calendar and Church News announcements should include a brief description of the event along with the time, date and location. Please include a phone number for more information with the announcement. Announcements can be submitted by mail, email or phone. Deadline for announcements is Monday at 5 p.m.

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CITIZEN VOICE & TIMES

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Thursday, July 16, 2015 A10

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MISSING - 2 CATS 1 male black/white Persian, been neutured and needs his medication and shots. 1 female black cat, has been spayed, with white whiskers. Missing from 227 North Court Street. If anybody sees, hears or knows anything about them, please call 606-723-3614. Very, very missed.

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NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT

ESTATE OF: James Leon Garrett, Executor: Tony Garrett, Date Apptd.: 12-17-2014, Attorney: Rodney Davis, P.O. Box 150, 200 Main St., Irvine, KY 40336.

ESTATE OF: Glendon R. Johnson, Executorix: Judy Frazier, Date Apptd.: 12-3-2014, Attorney: William Trude, 135 Dry Branch Rd., Irvine, KY 40336, Service of Process Agent: William Trude, 135 Dry Branch Rd., Irvine, KY 40336.

Notice is hereby given that final settlements have been filed in the above-listed estates. You have 30 days from the filing date of the settlement to file exceptions, properly proven, with the respective representative of the estate.

Stephanie L. Brinegar, Clerk
Estill District Court
Irvine, KY 40336
(606)723-3970

NOTICE OF INTERIM SETTLEMENT

ESTATE OF: Luther Henderson, Co-Administrators: Orbon Rose and William L. Rose, Date Apptd.: 11-09-2011, Attorney: Rodney G. Davis, PO Box 150, 200 Main Street, Irvine, KY 40336.

Notice is hereby given that an interim settlement has been filed in the above-listed estate. You have 30 days from the filing date of the settlement to file exceptions, properly proven, with the respective representative of the estate.

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Estill District Court
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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

ESTATE OF: Maryetta Sue Case, Administratrix: Trulena Tate, Date Apptd.: 7-8-2015, Attorney: Rodney G. Davis, 200 Main Street, P.O. Box 150, Irvine, KY 40336.

ESTATE OF: Linda Sue Hardy, Executor: Orville W. Hardy, Date Apptd.: 7-6-2015; Attorney: Chris A. Carter, 1717-1 Richmond Road, Berea, KY 40403.

Notice is hereby given by the Estill District Cour that administration has been granted in the estates listed above. All persons having claims against the same have six months from the date of appointment to file the same, properly proven, with the respective representatives.

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PUBLIC NOTICE
ESTILL COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION
NON-DISCRIMINATION POLICY STATEMENT

Students, their parents, employees, and potential employees of the Estill County Schools are hereby notified that the Estill County School System does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, age, religion, marital status, sex or disability in employment, vocational programs, or activities set forth in compliance with the Title II, Title IV, Title VI, Title IX and/or Section 504.

The Estill County School System offers the following vocational education programs for students in grades 9-12: Agriculture, Family/Consumer Sciences, and Business Education. The following vocational school classes are available to students in grades 10-12 either on site or at the Area Technology Center in Richmond, KY for all students regardless of race, color, national origin, including those with limited English proficiency, sex or disability in grades 9-12: Auto Mechanics, Carpentry, Electricity, Health Services, Machine Shop and Welding.

The Adult Education program provides for continuing education, attainment of employment skills, for family literacy education, and for the attainment of a GED.

Any person having inquiries concerning Estill County Schools' compliance with the Title II, Title IV, Title VI, Title IX and/or Section 504 is directed to contact Jeff Saylor, Superintendent, 253 Main Street, P.O. Box 930, Irvine, KY 40336, 606-723-2181 (jeff.saylor@estill.kyschools.us).

To obtain this information in a language other than English, call (606) 723-2181.

NOTIFICATION OF PUBLIC AUCTION

The Irvine Police Department will be placing two vehicles that were forfeited to the department up for public auction at K.A.S.P. Auto Auctions on July 30, 2015 in accordance with KRS 500.090(B)(4). The two vehicles for auction are as follows:

1 - 2002 Chevy Monte Carlo SS, yellow in color. 2 Door. 6 cyl. VIN - 2G1WX15K929372198, 200,000 + miles.

2 - 2002 Dodge Neon, red in color, 4 cyl. VIN - 1B3ES56C22D646023, 108,000 + miles.

There will be a buyer's fee of $170.00 - $410.00 added to the purchase price by K.A.S.P. Auction. The actual amount will be biased in the actual amount of the final purchase price.

Proceeds from the sale of vehicle will be applied toward the Irvine Police Department's local drug account.

For more information call Chief Brad Smith at 606-723-3915. Mon-Fri. Between 9:00 A.M. and 4:00 P.M.

City of Irvine

Division of Police

NOTICE

Pursuant to KRS 82.083 the City of Irvine, Kentucky shall offer real property located at 620 High Street, Irvine, Estill County, Kentucky for sale by sealed bid. Said property is offered in its "as-is" condition and the City of Irvine makes not warranties as to its condition, use or otherwise. Sealed bids will be accepted on the property beginning July 13, 2015 until 1:00 p.m. on August 3, 2015. Bids should be addressed to: City of Irvine, ATTN: Sealed Bid-High Street, 620 Irvine, KY 40336. The purchase of said property shall assume and pay all current year property taxes.

Horizon Adult Health Care an EOE has the following position available in Irvine, KY.

STAFF NURSE: PRN 7:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Successful applicant must function independently and have organizational, decision making, and leadership skills. Geriatric experience preferred. Competitive wages and benefits package available. Minorities are encouraged to apply. Apply in person or send resume to: Horizon Adult Health Care, Attention: Amanda Toler, Nurse Director, 178 Broadway, Irvine, KY 40336.

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ACCEPTING BIDS

The Estill County EMS is soliciting for a price to remount a 2002 Osage Type III module box from a Ford E-350 to a Chevrolet G-3500 Duramax Diesel commercial cutaway chassis with a wheelbase of 139". Modifications must be made to accommodate the longer wheelbase on the Chevrolet G-3500 Chassis.

All bids shall be sealed and submitted by August 11 at 4PM to Estill County EMS, P.O. Box 881, Irvine, Ky. 40336. Questions or to request a spec sheet, contact: Jimmie Wise, Director or Darren Muncie, Asst. Director at 606-723-2124 from 8a.m. - 4p.m. Monday through Friday.

Estill County EMS reserves the right to reject any and all bids.



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Invitation to Bid

The Estill County Board of Education is seeking vendors of gasoline and diesel fuel, who would be willing to follow the enclosed provisions. Vendors agreeing to this proposal will be placed on an "eligible vendors list."

If you wish to be placed on the "eligible vendors list" please submit your name to the Estill County Board of Education Transportation Department, P.O. Box 930, Irvine, Kentucky 40336. Your name may be faxed to 606-726-9812: Attention: Jeff Taylor, Supt. All names are to be received by July 30, 2015.

As fuel needs arise for our district, a call will be made by the Estill County School Transportation Department to all "eligible vendors." Vendors will be asked for bids following the provisions of this document. The lowest bidder for the quantity of fuel requested will be awarded the bid for that specific order.

The "eligible vendors list" will be updated annually. This "eligible vendor" contract period for this bid document will be from July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2016.

FUEL SPECIFICATIONS

1. Those specifications are for the gasoline and diesel fuel necessary for the operation of the school buses and other vehicles owned and operated by the Estill County Board of Education for the period beginning July 1, 2015 until July 30, 2016.

2. Fuel furnished by the successful vendor must meet these specifications:

a. Gasoline must be 87 or higher octane rating, unleaded.

b. Supplier shall provide the board with the octane rating of the gasoline being supplied when requested to do so.

c. Diesel fuel to be refined from virgin crude and low sulfur. The school district reserves the option of dropping an "eligible vendor" if the diesel fuel proves to be of low quality.

3. Fuel is to be delivered to the school's Transportation Department Bus Garage.

4. The total amount of gasoline the supplier might expect to furnish would be 2,000 gallons, more or less. Diesel fuel amounts 10,000 gallons more or less.

5. The bid price is to be the net price the board is to pay. This price should not include the Federal Excise Tax. Board will provide the supplier with the necessary Federal Tax Exemption Certificate.

6. No "tie-in" bid requiring the purchase of motor oil or any other product will be accepted.

7. The supplier must provide to the Estill County Board of Education Transportation Department the Material Safety Data Information Forms for the product delivered.

SPECIAL PROVISIONS

1. **Time Period for Bidding.** A phone call will be placed from the Estill County School Transportation Department to each "eligible vendor." An authorized school representative will specify the quantities and type of fuel needed. The vendor will be asked for a bid quote including all applicable taxes and delivery charges. The bid must be signed by a person having the authority to bind the company or firm by his signature, and faxed to the Transportation Department by the time stated. Fax number for the Transportation Department is 606-726-9812.

2. **Award.** The successful bidder will be contacted as soon as the various quotes are compiled and the lowest bid is determined. The total bid prices for the gasoline and diesel will be combined and averaged to find the lowest average price per load. All bid tabulations will be recorded on a standard tabulation form. A copy of the tabulation form will be available in the business office for inspections by all "eligible vendors."

3. **Delivery.** Fuel must be delivered within 24 hours or at an agreed time between vendor and the Transportation Department of the Estill County School System.

4. **Failure to Bid.** The school district reserves the option of dropping an "eligible vendor" if the vendor fails to bid when called upon.

5. **Payments.** All billings will be made to the Estill County Board of Education. P.O. Box 930, Irvine, Kentucky 40336. Payment in full will be made following the first regular meeting of the Estill County Board of Education, after the bill is received. Regular Board meetings are scheduled the third Thursday of each month. All delivery invoices must be signed by a designated employee of the Estill County Board of Education verifying that the goods were received in the quantities specified.

This Form Must Be Submitted
Attached To Invitation To Bid

FUEL BID FORM

The undersigned agrees to all enclosed provisions and wishes to be placed on the "eligible vendors list" for the period of July 1, 2015, to June 30, 2016:

Company Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Authorized Agent: _____

Title: _____

Date: _____

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10,000 Diesel 2,000 Gasoline

Conflict of Interest: Gratuities and Kickbacks as defined in Kentucky Revised Statues (KRS) 45A.445 and as provided for in KRS 45A.455 are absolutely prohibited.



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JULY 18TH, 2015-STARTING AT 9 AM

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Find the thermocline for better summer fishing success

Kentucky Afield Outdoors:

FRANKFORT, Ky. – Fishing instruction for decades preached anglers should fish deep, cool water during the hottest days of the summer.

This makes sense as fish are cold-blooded animals and their bodies are the same temperature of the water that surrounds them.

However, fishing deep water in summer on a lake such as Taylorsville Lake may mean your offerings are in a dead zone. Warming air temperatures change the nature of the water in a lake. Anglers need to consider these changes while summer fishing.

The water column in lakes begins to stratify in late spring, like a layer cake with a warm top layer, a mixing layer in the middle and a cold layer on the bottom. Warm water is less dense and sits on top of the cooler and denser water below.

"The mixing layer in the middle is the thermocline," said Dave Dreves, assistant director of fisheries for the Kentucky Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources. "The thermocline is a band of water with rapidly changing temperatures."

As summer progresses, the water below the thermocline grows increasing hostile to fish. "As organic material from plants or animals sinks to the bottom, decomposition ties up all of the available dissolved oxygen," Dreves said.

Fish need dissolved oxygen to survive, so the layer of the water below the thermocline becomes a dead zone as the air temperatures rise. Lures or bait presented there is the same as casting into a desert.

"The further you go into summer, the more the thermocline matters," Dreves said. "It varies from year to year how long it takes for it to set up."

Anglers want to target the area just above the thermocline for the best summer fishing. "You have that happy medium of the coolest water with good dissolved oxygen," Dreves said. "You might find baitfish at that level as well. That zone will be the active part of the food chain."

The fertility of the lake determines the location of the thermocline. Water clarity is a good indicator of fertility; murky lakes contain more nutrients in the water than lakes where you can see the bottom in 12 feet of water.

On a highly fertile lake such as Taylorsville, the thermocline starts at about 8 feet deep in mid-summer and ends at roughly 12 feet. Bass anglers fishing a heavy jig 18 feet deep on a channel drop are wasting their time, the same as anglers dunking cut bait for channel cats at that depth. There is no dissolved oxygen that deep.

Anglers need to pound that water from 6 to 10 feet deep or so in the summer heat on Taylorsville for bass, crappie, catfish and even bluegill.

"On a clear, low fertility lake like Laurel River Lake or Lake Cumberland, the thermocline may start at 30 feet deep," Dreves said. "On these lakes, there can be good dissolved oxygen below the thermocline. They have a two story fishery where cool water fish such as walleye or striped bass locate below the thermocline in summer."



Roby Doan of Bullitt County lands a largemouth bass from Lincoln County's Cedar Creek Lake during a hot day in mid-summer. Finding the thermocline is vitally important for catching species such as largemouth bass or channel catfish from lakes during the heat of summer.

On mid-depth, moderately fertile lakes such as Nolin River Lake, Barren River Lake, Green River Lake or Rough River Lake, the thermocline usually starts around 11 to 12 feet deep in summer with little dissolved oxygen below 16 feet.

"Find banks, channel drops or humps at that depth and fish them," Dreves said. "I always remind myself to fish the right depth in summer."

The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers Louisville District webpage has charts showing the water temperature and depths of the dissolved oxygen at www.lrl.usace.army.mil. Click on the "Water Information" tab, then the "Lake Temperatures and Dissolved Oxygen Levels" tab.

The depth where the oxygen line takes a left toward the zero side of the graph is the top of the thermocline. "You can also go out in the middle of the lake and turn up the sensitivity on your sonar unit until you see a band in the depths," Dreves said. "That band is the thermocline. It seems the older units might pick this band up better than the newer ones."

Lakes with high flow through rates such as Kentucky Lake and Lake Barkley usually do not form thermoclines in summer in the main lake, but thermoclines may appear in their major creek arms or embayments. The current in rivers prevents thermoclines from forming.

Remember the role of the thermocline while fishing this summer. It will put more fish in hand.

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Extreme heat's effect on older adults



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Summer is well upon us, and although we've gotten a lot of rain this year, the temperatures have still been hot and humid! While some may enjoy this kind of weather, combinations of high humidity and excessive heat can be dangerous for others, especially older adults.

When a person's body cannot properly cool itself, it increases the risks for heat-related illnesses. Older adults are more susceptible to hyperthermia, a common heat-related illness that results in a dangerously high body temperature. The most common form of hyperthermia is heatstroke. Heatstroke occurs when a person's body temperature reaches 104 degrees Fahrenheit or higher. Prolonged exposure to hot temperatures and high humidity, existing health problems, some medications and being older increase the risk of heatstroke. When body temperature rises above 107 degrees, it can be fatal.

Older adults are more susceptible to hyperthermia, because sweat glands, which normally help regulate the body's temperature, often diminish in number, while those remaining may not function as well. This slows older adults' ability to properly regulate their temperature. Certain medical conditions common to old age such as diabetes, dehydration, and heart, kidney and central nervous systems diseases can further decrease the body's ability to regulate temperature. Normal age-related skin changes can also make it more difficult for older adults to regulate their body temperature and adjust to extreme heat.

Older adults are at additional risks for heat-related illnesses, if they are overweight, underweight, drink alcoholic beverages, live in homes without fans or air conditioners, go outside on hot and humid days, and overdress or wear the wrong type of fabrics in hot weather.

On hot, humid days, older adults are highly encouraged to stay inside in an air-conditioned or well-ventilated building. It is important to note that fans alone may not produce enough cooling effect on extremely hot days to help individuals regulate body temperature. Those without air conditioners should take cool baths or showers and seek accommodations that offer cool air, such as the home of a family member or friend, a church or a community center. Other air-conditioned places that can help a person escape from the heat include malls, grocery stores, public libraries or heat-relief shelters.

Individuals can also reduce their risk for heat-related illnesses by limiting outdoor physical activity on hot days to the early morning or late evening, wearing light-weight, light colored and loose fitting clothes, wide-brimmed hats and sunscreen, and drinking LOTS of water! With all this rain, many of our gardens are overgrown with weeds so if you are working out in the garden, try to go out in the early morning or evening when it is coolest. Those who must work outdoors during extremely hot and humid weather should take frequent breaks if possible in a shaded area.

Regardless of age, it is never a good idea to sit or stay in a vehicle on a hot day. Temperatures inside an enclosed parked car can get as much as 19 degrees warmer than the outside temperature in just 10 minutes and reach 45-50 degrees warmer than outdoors within an hour.

It is always important to check on older friends, relatives and neighbors during extreme heat to make sure they are weathering the heat well. The summer will be over before we know it so we should take all precautions to enjoy it as safely as possible!

For more information on health topics, come see me at the Estill County Extension Office off of Stacy Lane or call the office at 723-4557!

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Rose attends Super Combine, thanks supporters

On June 18 and 19, 2015, Austin Rose attended the All-American Super Combine at the Pro-football Hall of Fame Stadium in Canton Ohio. Out of 7,800 in the nation, he was one of 500 chosen. He and his family are extremely grateful for the financial support which allowed him to attend. A special thanks goes to Bunt Gross Autos, Carhartt/ William Hardy, Toler Funeral Home, Hardy Gas/Pepper Hardy, Honchell's, Stop and Shop,George/ Lynette Ballard, Andrea Oxendine and all who contributed at the road blocks.

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Eastern Kentucky University announces award winners

Eastern Kentucky University has announced that 3,099 students earned Deans List honors for the Spring 2015 semester. To achieve Deans List honors at Eastern, students attempting 14 or more credit hours must earn a 3.5 grade point average out of a possible 4.0. Students attempting 13 credit hours must earn a 3.65 GPA, and students attempting 12 credit hours must earn a 3.75 GPA. "We are always pleased to recognize outstanding academic achievement at Eastern Kentucky University," said EKU President Michael Benson.

Award recipients from Irvine are: Andrew Scott Abernathy, Jessica Shaye Abney, Chelsea Renee Alexander, Kaitlyn Rae Arvin, Joshua B. Barber, Lucas Taylor Barnes, Jerrica Lee Brandenburg, Brandon Nicholas Chaney, Lindsay Susanne Descoteaux, Amanda Michelle Edwards, Virgil Kevin Edwards, Shelby Rae Fain, Kayla Rashae Fowler, Kaitlyn Emmaline Frederick, Steven Ray Garrett, Alexandria Cheyenne Hall, Jeremy Ray Hamm, Thomas Thurman Herron, Robert Seth Horn, Charles Brenton Howell, Morgan Michelle Johnson, Randy Scott King, Anna Nicole Logsdon, Katelyn Elizabeth Martin, Michael Patrick Martin, Peyton Riley Martin, Austin Bradley McClanahan, Jacob Earl McGee, Brandi Nicole Mckinney, Sabrina LeAnn Moore, Corey William Neal, Jordan Mckenzie Noe, Brett Tracy Noland, Kaylon LeAnn Peck, Sophie Katharine Peterson, Mary Elizabeth Plowman, Mallory Amanda Puckett, Damir Sahand Siahkoohi, Kara Beth Singleton, William Trent Singleton, Lily Katherine Thacker, Bunnetta Marie Whittaker, Leah Morgan Wiseman, Kayla Danielle Wolpert. Award recipients from Ravenna are: Mary Elizabeth Eldridge, Shannon Elizabeth Horn, Marissa Cheryl Puckett, Ashley N. Stephenson.

Eastern Kentucky University also announced 387 Dean's Award recipients for the Spring 2015 semester. To earn the Dean's Award, students must achieve Dean's List honors at EKU for three semesters, not necessarily consecutive. A lapel pin is presented to students by the dean of their academic college.

Dean's Award recipients for spring from Irvine include: Kaitlyn Rae Arvin, Kevin Virgil Edwards, Steven Ray Garrett, Robert Seth Horn, Morgan Michelle Johnson, Peyton Riley Martin, Brandi Nicole Mckinney and William Trent Singleton.

Eastern Kentucky University has announced that 1,398 students earned Presidents List honors for the Spring 2015 semester. The Presidents List was established by the University to recognize outstanding academic achievement. It is bestowed upon full-time undergraduate students who attain a perfect 4.0 grade point average for a semester.

"All of us at EKU are committed to academic excellence and the success of our students," EKU President Michael Benson said, and we are especially pleased to recognize those students who have excelled to the point of perfection during a semesters work. Award recipents are from Irvine are: Andrew Scott Abernathy,Jessica Shaye Abney, Chelsea Renee Alexander, Kaitlyn Rae Arvin, Lucas Taylor Barnes, Jerrica Lee Brandenburg, Lindsay Susanne Descoteaux, Virgil Kevin Edwards, Shelby Rae Fain, Robert Seth Horn, Morgan Michelle Johnson, Katelyn Elizabeth Martin, Michael Patrick Martin, Peyton Riley Martin, Brandi Nicole Mckinney , Brett Tracey Noland, Kaylon LeAnn Peck, Sophie Katherine Peterson, Damir Sahand Siahkoohi, Kara Beth Singleton, William Trent Singleton, Lily Katherine Thacker , Bunnetta Marie Whitaker, Leah Morgan Wiseman, Kayla Danielle Wolpert. Award recipents from Ravenna are: Mary Elizabeth Eldridge, Marissa Cheryl Puckett.

Eastern Kentucky University recognized 1,826 graduates at the conclusion of the Spring 2015 semester. The graduates were honored at commencement ceremonies May 15-16.

The new degree holders join more than 140,000 Eastern alumni in Kentucky and across the United States and world. They include, from Irvine: Jessica Shaye Abney, Gen Studies in Arts & Sciences, Chelsea Renee Alexander, Biology, Kaitlyn Rae Arvin, Elementary Education Teaching , Eddie L. Bailey, General Studies in Arts & Science , Lucas Taylor Barnes, Criminal Justice, Lucas Taylor Barnes, Emergency Management , Jerrica Lee Brandenburg, Public Health, Logan Randall Brown, Health Services Administration, Kayla Autumn Carroll, Nursing, Jacob Michael Carroll, Environmental Health Science, Thomas Henry Hart, Edu. Leadership/Policy Studies, Robert Seth Horn, Middle Grade Education, Morgan Michelle Johnson, Public Health, Genia Lynn McKinney, Gen Studies in Health Science, Sabrina LeAnn Moore, Mathematics, Justin Andrew Newton, Fire Protection &Safety Engineer/Technology, Jeremy D. Niece, Sports Management, Kaylon LeAnn Peck, Public Health, Sophie Katharine Peterson, Art, Damir Sahand Siahkoohi, History, Damir Sahand Siahkoohi, Political Science, Ashley Emma Leann Smith, Psychology, Briana Renee Swanson, Nursing, Jamie LeAnn Woolery, Recreation and Park Admin, Sarah Marie Young, Statistics.



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Extension agent says plan those fall gardens now



ERIC BAKER

County Agent for Agriculture and Natural Resources

It's time to start planning how you can continue to enjoy your garden and even add new plantings. You can plant a variety of produce in Kentucky gardens in the coming weeks allowing fresh items to be available well into the fall.

The cooler nights experienced later in the year as these vegetables mature may increase the sugar content of many crops and thus increase their quality. Cooler nights also slow growth, so crops can take longer to mature than in the summer. Keep this slower pace in mind when you check seeds for days to maturity.

Late July or early August would be the time to make a last planting of bush beans, carrots, sweet corn, kale, collards, Bibb lettuce, turnips, and cole crops such as kohlrabi, Chinese cabbage, Brussels sprouts, cabbage, cauliflower and broccoli. For late August and into September try planting mustard greens, spinach greens, radishes, turnip greens and leaf lettuce.

Before planting, remove any existing debris including crops and weeds to the compost bin and cultivate the soil.

If the previous crop was well fertilized and grew vigorously you may need to add little if any additional fertilizer, otherwise apply about 2 to 3 pounds of a complete fertilizer such as "5-10-10" or "10-10-10" per 100 square feet of planting area.

Remember to keep fall gardens well watered as this tends to be a fairly dry time in Kentucky. A weekly irrigation sufficient to wet the soil to 6 or 8 inches should be adequate.

This is more or less equivalent to a weekly one-inch rain.

To learn more about fall gardening options, contact the Estill County Cooperative Extension Service at 723-4557. Educational programs of the Kentucky Cooperative Extension Service serve all people regardless of race, color, age, sex, religion, disability or national origin.

If you want to buy locally grown vegetables, the Estill County Farmer's Market is open Tuesdays 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Tuesdays at the fairgrounds and Saturdays the Ravenna Veteran's 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. at Memorial Park.



KSP warns of danger as summer heats up

Frankfort, Ky.-As the Kentucky summer is heating up, so is your car and KSP reminds parents not to leave a child alone in a hot car. It may seem like common sense, but every year law enforcement agencies answer calls about unattended children in vehicles. KidsandCars.org reports that 32 children died in the U.S. during 2014 from vehicular heat stroke.

KSP spokesman Sgt. Michael Webb says vehicle heat stroke is often misunderstood by the general public. A majority of parents are misinformed and would like to believe that they could never 'forget' their child in a vehicle.

"The most dangerous mistake a parent can make is to think leaving a child alone in their car could never happen to them," says Webb. "In these fast-paced times, it is easy for parents to get distracted and forget their child is in the car with them."

Webb advised that the interior of a car heats up very quickly and temperatures inside can reach 125 degrees in minutes.

"A child's body heats up three to five times faster than that of an adult," adds Webb. "The temperature inside a car can rise 19 degrees in 10 minutes. Together, this can be deadly in a very short period of time."

Webb says that some deaths are caused from curious children who are left unattended by a parent.

"Tragically, about 33 percent of children who die in hot cars entered the vehicle on their own while left unattended," he says.

In 2000, Kentucky passed "Bryan's Law," which makes a person liable for second-degree manslaughter or first-degree wanton endangerment for leaving a child younger than eight years of age in a motor vehicle where circumstances pose a grave risk of death. The law was named after 11-month old Bryan Puckett, who died July 13, 1999 after being left in a hot car by his babysitter.

Webb offers the following safety tips:

·Never leave a child in an unattended car, even with the windows down.

·Be sure that all occupants leave the vehicle when unloading. Don't overlook sleeping babies.

·Always lock your car. If a child is missing, check the car first, including the trunk. Teach your children that vehicles are never to be used as a play area.

·Keep a stuffed animal in the car seat and when the child is put in the seat place the animal in the front with the driver as a reminder.

·Place your purse or briefcase in the back seat as a reminder that you have your child in the car.

·Make 'look before you leave' a routine whenever you get out of the car.

Webb says while a person will face criminal charges for leaving a child in a car, the pain and guilt from making such a mistake will last far longer.

KSP asks citizens to keep an eye out for children left in vehicles on hot days and to call 911 if they think the occupant is in danger.

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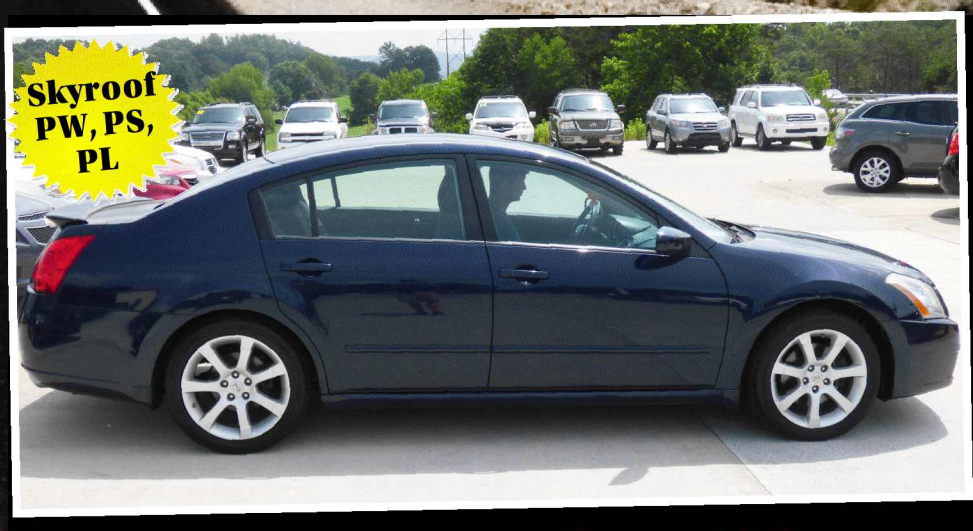
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